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PRISON RIOT SUBDUED: NINE DEAD

CHINESE REBELS REPULSED

GRUNDY ASSUMES ROLE AS SUCCESSOR TO VARE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Joseph R. Grundy, more familiarly known as "Uncle Joe," and a prominent figure in a score of tariff fights going back to the Dingles bill of '97, made his bow to Washington today in a new role—that of senator-designate from Pennsylvania.

He was appointed to the vacancy which occurred through the senate's refusal to admit William S. Vare, and he not only accepted but announced that he would be a candidate to succeed himself next year for the regular term.

A sharp, but ineffectual attempt will be made by a small group of senators to keep Grundy out of the senate. Among the ringleaders of the small opposition group is Senator Gerald P. Nye (R) of North Dakota, one of those states which the veteran tariff lobbyist pronounced "a backward state" in his appearance before the Caraway lobby committee.

The opposition may keep the Pennsylvanian from his seat for a few days, but the majority opinion on all sides is that the fight eventually will fail, and that the senate ultimately will seat Grundy by a top-heavy vote. It was estimated today that probably not more than a dozen votes will be cast against his being seated.

"VICTIM" IS BACK



Supposed to have been mutilated and burned alive by five men last March as he was escorting his sweetheart, Tiller Ruminer, to Mountainview, Ark., to be married, this man, claiming to be Connie Franklin, the victim, appeared just as the state was about to proceed with the trial of the alleged nightriders. Some have identified him as Franklin while others deny he is the man supposed to be the "murder" victim.

NATIONALISTS ARE VICTORS IN BLOODY BATTLE FOR CANTON

Reinforcements Turn Tide; Revolters Lose 5,000 Men

SHANGHAI, Dec. 12. — Nationalist forces still held Canton today after defeating the rebels in what was probably the heaviest battle of the present widespread rebellion against the government of General Chiang Kai Shek.

Thousands were reported killed and wounded on both sides in the battle which began Monday when the "Ironsides" wing of the rebel forces made a determined thrust at the Cantonese defenders which brought them within ten miles of Canton.

Hastily summoned Nationalist reinforcements, however, turned the tide of the battle and the rebels were forced to retreat to some distance beyond Sunwai which is nineteen miles from Canton.

In retreating, it was reported they lost about 5,000 men in prisoners. The rebel defeat was attributed to a trap set by the Nationalists.

The Ironsides had been advancing from the north of Canton while the Kwangsi rebels advanced from the west. The Nationalists, by first retreating, drew the Ironsides far ahead of the Kwangsi troops and then threw their reinforcements into the resultant gap between the Ironsides and Kwangsi forces, thus partially encircling the former.

With Nationalist attenion drawn to the Ironsides, the Kwangsi forces meanwhile made a new encroachment toward Canton by occupying Sangshei, according to reports from Wuchow.

The proximity of the fighting threw many Canton residents into panic. As they saw the hospitals filling up with wounded and realized that the city might fall hourly, many of them fled toward Hong Kong, remembering the looting and incendiarism which usually follows the fall of a Chinese city.

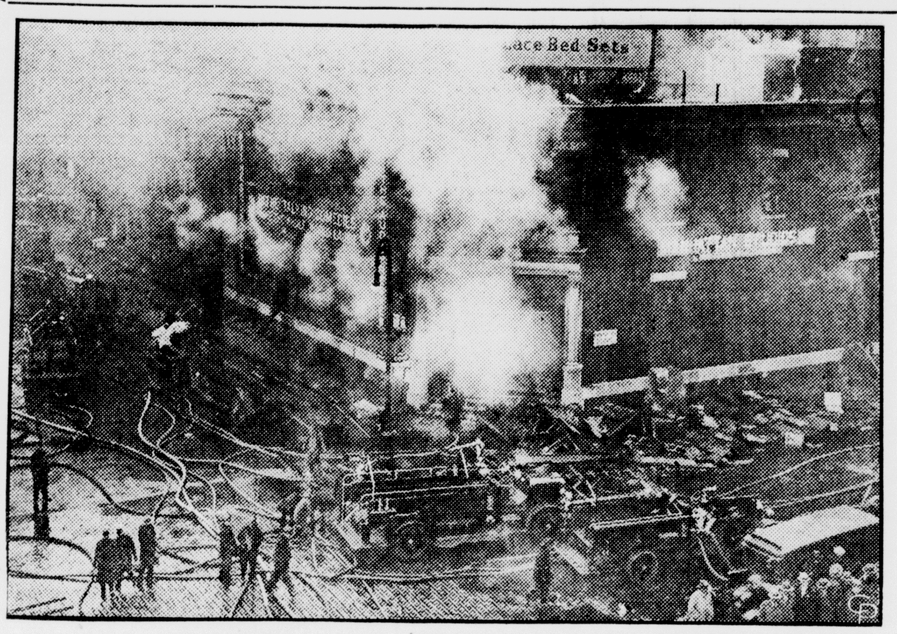
Nationalist forces also fared fell farther north, decisively defeating the rebel forces, which were threatening to sweep down the Yangtse valley from Chuchow to Nanking.

Internal conditions in the Nationalist capital however, were reported to be unsettled, with disorderly elements taking advantage of the absence of many of the troops of the city's garrison at the front. Virtually all foreigners have been evacuated from Nanking.

Realization of the fact that the present rebel activities were something more than sporadic outbursts was brought home to the 60,000 foreigners living here when gendarmes protecting the international settlement were forced to fire over the heads of mobs of Chinese who tried to swarm across the boundary of the settlement from the Chapei district.

It was at first thought that the troops garrisoned in the city had rebelled. Rumors that Communists were to storm the north railroad station in Chapei resulted in disruption of railway service yesterday.

WORKERS IN MOVIE STUDIO KILLED BY FIRE



A series of rapid explosions, followed by a flood of flames caused loss of life in a movie studio in Harlem section of New York City. Talkie version of Vina Delmar's "Bad Girl" was being filmed at time of blasts. Photo shows general view of fire. Firemen had to don masks to combat it because of heavy smoke fumes from burning celluloid.

MILITIA AND STATE TROOPERS RESTORE ORDER AFTER BREAK

Eight Convicts And Guard Killed In Bloody Uprising

AUBURN, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Grim, brooding silence fell across battle-scarred Auburn prison today, following yesterday's bloody uprising during which nine were killed—eight convicts and the principal keeper, George A. Durnford—and twelve injured, one of whom is expected to die.

The revolt had been put down. Restrictions within the walls of the great oblong-shaped bastile which houses 1,556 prisoners were tightened. All the convicts and their cells had been thoroughly searched for firearms and weapons of all sorts. Additional emergency guards were on duty, patrolling the tiers of cells, and close watch was being maintained to quell any further incipient outbreaks.

Outside, before the walls of the gloomy granite structure built 112 years ago, a detachment of National Guardsmen and state troopers patrolled all gates and entrances. The public was kept back of established military lines, hundreds of persons impelled by curiosity having rushed to Auburn by motor and train. The newspapermen on the ground were informed the prison authorities would confer with them at 10:30 this morning.

Among those in the Auburn City Hospital were: Warden Edgar S. Jennings and several guards held with him as hostages during the six-hour battle yesterday during which hundreds of shots were exchanged between troops and convicts before the latter were finally subdued last evening by tear gas bombs and bullets.

A checkup by International News Service this morning revealed the following casualties.

The dead:

George A. Durnford, principal keeper, shot and killed by convicts at the outbreak of the rioting.

Henry Sullivan, a ringleader of the insurrection, a prisoner serving a twenty-one year "stretch," shot down by troopers while attempting to escape.

Perry Johnson, convict, serving a life sentence, killed attempting to escape with Sullivan.

Alexander Tucholder, a lifer, who acted as a spokesman for the rebels, shot and killed.

Luke J. Bonnell, prisoner serving thirty-year sentence, shot and killed.

Steve Pawlak, lifer, who was recaptured after the Auburn outbreak last July, shot and killed.

Steve Sporney, prisoner, serving fifteen year sentence, killed in final stage of yesterday's battle.

James Diancrasi, prisoner serving fifteen year sentence, shot and killed.

Ernest Pavesi, prisoner serving

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IOWA CAPITULATES TO CONFERENCE AND EXPELS 22 PLAYERS

Banned Athletes Were Benefitted From "Loan Fund"

IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 12.—Iowa University's intention of seeking re-admission in the Western Conference was regarded as a certainty today after the athletic board of control last night banned twenty-two athletes from further intercollegiate competition.

Complete capitulation to the demands of Big Ten members is seen in the board's action. The action was announced following a session which lasted from early afternoon until midnight and came as a complete surprise here. Resignation was expected instead.

Alumni, students, and faculty have been in a state of upset ever since the faculty committee of the Western Conference denied Iowa's plea for readmission last Saturday at Chicago.

The twenty-two athletes banned are believed to be those who benefited by the "belting loan fund" that was made the chief point of attack by the faculty committee last Saturday. It was on this point that the Iowa delegates failed to agree with the faculty committee Saturday.

Names of only five of the twenty-two athletes barred were made public. They include Oran Pape, football star of Dubuque, Ia.; Mike Farroh, halfback who last night was selected co-captain of the Iowa basketball team; Irving Nelson, football star of Omaha, Nebr.; Richard Affre, halfback and basketball player of Quincy, Ill., and Steward Leeka, football player of Independence, Mo.

Iowa refused o bow to one demand made by the conference representatives. This involved the right of the conference to dictate who is to comprise the Iowa Athletic staff.

In order to conform with conference rulings, officials decided to abandon plans for a football contest at Soldier Field, Chicago as well as further contracts, other than the two year agreement with Nebraska.

The board has given E. H. Lauer authority to select schools which Iowa will play. No football games with Iowa institutions will be scheduled, it was voted.

PAGING MR. CUPID!

DAN Cupid has apparently taken a prolonged vacation in so far as Greene County is concerned. During the last twelve days not a single marriage license has been granted or applied for at the license bureau in Probate Court. Records show that no licenses have been issued in December, the last one obtained being on November 29.

ALL'S RIGHT WITH WORLD

Santa Claus Arrives Aa Capital, Looking Thin But Hailed By 25,000 People

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Santa Claus took up residence in an igloo in the statehouse yard today following his sensational arrival before a crowd of approximately 25,000 persons here last night.

There was no snow on the ground so the veteran toymaker was forced to leave his reindeers and sled in his barns at the North Pole and make the journey by air.

His airplane arrived over the statehouse dome, which was bedecked with lighted Christmas bulbs, about 6:10 p. m., last night and then jumped from his huge tri-motored plane with a parachute.

A high wind blew Santa Claus across the Scioto River and over the west side where he landed amid some light and telephone wires. A taxicab driver rescued the kindly old man and rushed him to the statehouse.

Great was the consternation among the children of the west side. They thought that Santa might have been killed. That, indeed, would have been a terrific blow.

It was reported that Santa had decreed that a dummy should make the parachute jump and that a dummy made the spectacular performance. Such was really the case, but the thousands of children who crowded the statehouse yard and lawns where "keep off the grass" signs are posted, wouldn't be convinced.

A brilliant aerial pyrotechnical display featured the arrival of Kris Kringle, as all the little Dutch boys and girls call Santa.

Governor Myers Y. Cooper greeted the distinguished visitor, who is the proprietor of a great toy shop in the Arctic regions. He thanked Santa Claus for coming and extended his wishes that "all people of the commonwealth of Ohio enjoy a merry, merry Christmas."

It was the greatest community celebration ever held in Columbus. Young and old, alike, were present. Little girls and boys, wrapped warmly in bundling clothes, young flappers with their fur coats and thin stockings and high heels, little mothers with their blanket-wrapped infants, sedate young husbands, aged grandmothers and grandfathers were among the huge assembly.

The writer had the good fortune to stand near two little boys, who were twins. Both were dressed in aviators uniforms, with the leather breeches, shining boots, leather coat and helmet and they carried swanky little walking sticks.

The enjoyment which they obtained from the performance was great and it was well worth while to stage the celebration if only those two little boys were there.

"Santa Claus is really up there," remarked one when he saw the lighted plane drop flares.

The second nodded assent and mumbled, "I'm going to be good—until Christmas, anyhow."

The scribe thought Santa was a little thin. His red suit, with its white fur trimmings, didn't seem to fit so snugly as it did last year. The trip from the North Pole in an airplane must have been very trying for Herr Claus.

Hawkers took advantage of the demonstration. There were many present. Peanuts and hot popcorn were on sale. Little trick monkeys who danced a merry jig were ballyhooed and jolly-paunched Santa Claus balloons were sold. The hawkers did a rushing business.

SLAYING SOLUTION STILL MYSTERY AS CONFESSION DENIED

Suspect Is Adjudged Insane; Case Is Again Closed

OTTAWA, O., Dec. 12.—With just fifteen months elapsed since the slaying of Mrs. Mary Hemler, 20-year-old comely divorcee, the mystery of her murder at Gilboa, near here, was closed for a fourth time today when papers were prepared for the committment of Silas P. Wagner, 56, a bachelor farmhand, to the Hancock County Infirmary.

Wagner will be held at that institution until a place can be found for him at the Columbus State Hospital for the Insane, which is now overcrowded.

The man last week confessed to the murder of Mrs. Hemler, but his confession was later found to be the raving of a depraved mind. He was adjudged insane at a sanity test held before Judge William George in Probate Court here.

He first said he had confessed to the murder because a white-clad spirit of Mrs. Hemler appeared nightly at his bed side. He later denied that and slowly denied the contents of his confession, in which he said he had beaten Mrs. Hemler to death with a can of malt.

With Wagner's case disposed of, the murder mystery is no nearer to a solution than when Mrs. Hemler's half-clad and bruised body was found floating in the Blanchard River in the rear of her home at Gilboa. The case has been reopened three times, but all investigations have been fruitless.

COLUMBUS POLICE SEEK TWO BANDITS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—With renewed vigor, police today sought to curb the hold-up epidemic here. Six holdups were staged last night, and five of them are believed to be the actions of two bandits. The two robbed a taxi-cab driver of his automobile and then held up four filling stations within half an hour. Loot was small. There has been so many filling station robberies recently that attendants only keep small sums with them.

AND MORE RAIN

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Today's weather forecast: Ohio, rain tonight and Friday. Slowly rising temperatures.

HOME LIGHTING CONTEST WILL NOT MEAN LARGE EXPENDITURES

A. V. Miller, Secretary, Xenia Retail Merchants Ass'n., Xenia, Ohio,

Dear Sir:

Kindly enter me in the Christmas Home Lighting Contest. I have read the rules of the contest and agree to them and promise to abide by the decision of the judges.

Name .....

Address .....

Phone Number .....

Favorable comments followed announcemeat yesterday that the Xenia Retail Merchants Association is sponsoring the first Christmas Home Lighting contest for Xenia.

Merchants pointed out Thursday that it is not necessary to spend large sums for illuminating and decorating purposes, the principal idea being to make effective and artistic displays. The organization also emphasized that all decoration must be on the outside, the contest being open to exterior decorating only.

Interior decorations, while having some effect as a background, will not be considered by the judges. A list of prizes to be warded winners, is now being compiled and will be published soon. The purpose of the contest is to make Xenia a city of illuminated and decorated homes at Christmas time and merchants believe the home decoration idea will tie in with the Christmas tree street decorations which have long won favorable comment for Xenia.

Entrants may fill out the blank form in connection with this story so that proper registration and judging may be made, and turn it in to A. V. Miller, secretary of the Xenia Retail Merchants Association. The only other stipulation is that all installations must be left burning from dusk until 10 p. m. beginning December 24 and continuing until January 1.

Prize winners here will be entered in competition in a national contest. Competent and impartial judges will decide the winners and announce the prizes.

TWO ARRESTED DURING PROBE OF PATHE FIRE

Officials Accused Of Manslaughter In New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Following hours of questioning by Police Commissioner Grover A. Whalen, John C. Flynn, vice president of the Pathe Film Company, and Henry Lalley, production manager, were arrested today on charges growing out of the destructive fire which swept the Pathe Manhattan film studio here costing the lives of four girls and six men.

Flynn and Lalley were held as violators of section 1052 of the New York criminal code in which "excusable manslaughter" and culpable negligence are involved.

The police said between 50,000 and 100,000 feet of film was stored by the company in a room not fire proof, when under the law they were not allowed to keep more than 5,000 feet in such a room.

WOMAN FOUND GUILTY

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Rejecting her appeal, the Ohio supreme court, in a decision made public today, upheld the action of the Richland County courts which found Mary J. Keeler, Mansfield, guilty of performing an illegal operation.

SALON ATTEMPTS TO SHOW ORIGINAL DRY STATES REALLY WET

Representatives Of Attacked States Fighting Back

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Congress was in the throes of a new and unusual row over prohibition today as the result of the announcement of Rep. John S. Schafer (R) of Wisconsin that he will undertake to prove liquor law violations are rampant in the original dry states of the west and south.

Feeling that the reputations of their states for law enforcement are being assailed by the militant Wisconsin senator, house dry leaders from the west and south flared back today and prepared to meet him on his own ground.

Schafer declared that months of investigation have revealed that many of the so-called "dry states" are wetter than the so-called "wet states."

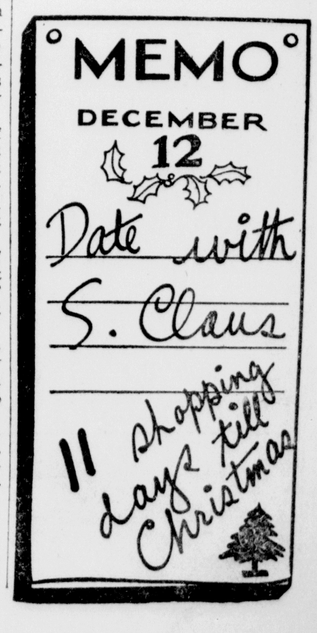
"I have assembled official data and statistics obtained from every state in the union, which I will present to the congress and the American people," said Schafer.

"These figures indicate an almost unbelievable increase in arrests for intoxication, for driving automobiles while intoxicated, for manufacture and sale of liquor. They will show remarkable increases in violations of the law in the so-called dry states, whose representatives in congress are so intent upon drying up the big cities of the country."

BOWMAN MANAGER OF NEW STADIUM

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—John F. Bowman has been named manager of the Chicago Stadium, it was announced today by President Sheldon Clark.

Bowman will assume the duties next month from which Paddy Harmon recently was ousted. Sidney Strotz, who had been acting as secretary and general manager, will continue in his duties as secretary and treasurer of the organization, it was announced.



BLAME MURDER ON LONG FEUD

PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 12. — The feud that has held Pueblo and southern Colorado in its grasp for many years today had added another death to its bloody list with the shooting in broad daylight of Sam Solando as he stood in front of a mid-town poolroom. Soldano died instantly.

The assassins threw away their guns and sped away in a heavily curtained automobile.

John Gormandson, who was sitting inside the poolhall, was wounded in the chest by one of the bullets.

Police were without clues, but are certain the murder had its origin in the Mafia warfare that has taken at least eighteen lives in Pueblo and southern colorado during the last eight years.

The murder of Soldano was the first outbreak since Mary and Ralph Soldano were "taken for a ride" last April, and died without telling who shot them.

AGED PRINTER DIES

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 12.—Simon P. Behrends, who was a familiar figure in Springfield printing shops for sixty-one years and who was one of the founders of the local typographical union, is dead here today, having succumbed to a heart attack. Behrends was 71 years of age and he was a "printer's devil" when only 10 years old.

FINANCIER'S COUNTRY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE THURSDAY

CHARDON, O., Dec. 12.—Fire, which is believed to have broken out from an overheated furnace, completely destroyed the country residence of Mason B. McLaughlin, well-known financier and former vice president of the White Motor Co., three miles from here today.

Damages were estimated at more than $50,000. The mansion itself was said to be worth at least $35,000. Valuable antiques which had been collected from foreign lands by the McLaughlin family were totally destroyed.

The Chardon fire department, which was called to the scene was forced to resort to the bucket brigade system in fighting the fire since there were no hydrants with which to use fire hose in bringing the blaze under control. Bucket after bucket of water from a nearby well was passed to the burning home in a futile effort to curb the blaze.

McLaughlin, who escaped from the house through a window, said he believed the fire started from an overheated furnace.

Mrs. McLaughlin, wife of the financier, is visiting in Philadelphia.

FEDERAL PRISONER COMMITS SUICIDE

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Walter Brooks, 38, a federal prisoner in the county jail here, committed suicide today by taking his belt and hanging himself from a water pipe over his cell door.

Brooks had been arrested by federal agents on a narcotic charge. He had served a light term on a similar charge recently.

He was the son of J. S. Brooks, an accountant in the state industrial department and former Athens County school teacher.

PARENTS SEEKING LOST DAUGHTER

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va., Dec. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel White today requested the aid of International News Service and Ohio Newspapers in their search for their 15-year-old daughter, Ina, who has been missing since October 26.

The girl, according to the parents, has not been seen nor heard from since. She is five feet tall, weighs 105 pounds, has black eyes, dark hair and a dark complexion.

The address of the White family here is 416 Viand Street.

UTILITY STOCKS LEAD THURSDAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Public utility stocks were the leaders in an irregular market, with extremely narrow price changes, at the opening today. Industrial stocks were quiet and rails inactive, with Alleghany down 1-4 at 26 1-4; Baltimore and Ohio up 7-8 at 119; Katy unchanged at 46; Union Pacific down 1 1-4 at 221 3-4.

Standard Gas was up 1 3-4 at 135; American and Foreign Power up 1 1-4 at 97 3-4; American Waterworks up 1-2 at 101 1-2; Consol Gas up 1-2 at 102 1-2.

MODERN JUDAISM WINS

Supreme Court Decision Is Defeat For Orthodox Jews In Cleveland

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Modern Judaism today had scored a legal victory over the Orthodox or traditional Jewish faith.

The Ohio supreme court handed down a decision denying Orthodox members of the Anshe Emeth Beth Tephilo congregation, of Cleveland, relief from the controlling group in the church, which allegedly has "gone modern."

Abraham Katz, and six other members of the Orthodox group, had filed suit to prevent appropriation of the church's property by the "modern" group.

In urging review of the case by the state's highest tribunal, Katz contended that "all of the Jewish citizens of Ohio are interested."

Thirty-eight alleged instances of violation of the Orthodox creeds by Rabbi Solomon Goldman were cited.

Among other things, it was charged that the rabbi was allowed to kiss the bride after marriage ceremonies in violation of the Orthodox creed.

The seating of men and women together during church services was also alleged, and it was contended that Rabbi Goldman ridiculed many great figures of Israel in his sermons and conversations.

THROUGH THE MICROPHONE

BY BROADCASTER

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The answer to the oft-repeated question, "Is interest in radio broadcasting waning?" is effectively and incidentally negatively answered in the news received here from station WENR of Chicago.

This station, anxious, to determine definitely the influence and prestige of the radio, recently conducted a novel and comprehensive test that reached close to 700,000 persons in approximately eighteen states.

Three different compositions were read over the air simultaneously with the request that listeners pick out and name the subjects that each of the three speakers were reading in unison. These compositions, by the way, were the story of "Goldilocks and the Three Bears," a dissertation on "Eggs" and "The Night Before Christmas."

On the four days following the broadcast, the station received a total of 6,678 letters from the members of its listening audience. From these figures it can be concluded that if only one listener in 100 wrote in, there was a listening audience of close to three-quarters of a million at the time of the broadcast.

The value of this test was further enhanced by the fact that it was broadcast during the daylight hours when the range of a station is materially reduced and the number of listeners is naturally limited. Moreover, there were no prizes offered or other inducements to urge the listener to write in his conclusions.

The critics who declare that broadcasting is "only a passing fancy" will have to guess again.

The great majority of broadcasting companies in the United States are trying to do their part towards maintaining prosperity by inviting various business leaders to deliver short talks on the present industrial and financial situation. A surprising willingness to accept the broadcasters' invitations has been shown by the business leaders.

Sales of radio equipment during the first three quarters of 1929 reached a total of $360,897,207, with the biggest quarter of the year yet to be heard from, during which, in past years, 40 per cent of the industry's sales are usually made, according to figures deduced from the Department of Commerce quarterly survey of dealer stocks and sales, compiled with the cooperation of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association. An analysis of the survey made by Edgar H. Felix, radio consultant to the Association, further indicates that during the last quarter of the year, dealers need achieve only 42 per cent of the total sales indicated by their performance up to October 1, to equal last year's sales totals, an all-time record for the industry. The sales for the third quarter were 14 per cent ahead of those for the corresponding quarter of last year.

The stocks of receiving sets in the hands of dealers on October 1, 1929, averaged 15 per dealer, as compared with 13 at the same date last year. This modest increase of stocks is more than offset by recent price reductions and conservative buying for the Christmas trade, assuring a healthy dealer position. Manufacturers, likewise, have carefully adjusted production to consumer sales in spite of increased manufacturing facilities, with the result that well managed companies are in an ideal position, so far as inventories are concerned.

Al Protzman, sound engineer for the Fox Film Corporation with headquarters in Hollywood, is visiting the New York studios of the National Broadcasting Company—Gertrude Forster, well known "mike" star, recently appeared as guest soloist with the Reading Symphony Orchestra — Mayor James J. Walker of New York admits he is a radio fan—most of the big broadcasters have already completed arrangements for their Christmas Eve and Christmas Day broadcasts—Several Cuban radio stations have been ordered to cease broadcasting after 10:30 p. m. so as not to interfere with the reception of American programs—Station CKGW of Toronto, Canada, has been added to the National Broadcasting chain—Marjorie Ole-

Director.

SEEK ECONOMICAL WAY TO USE COALS

COLUMBUS, Dec. 12.—Facilities of the engineering experiment station, Ohio State University, are being mobilized to find the most economical ways to use Ohio coals.

In that connection, H. M. Faust, a graduate of the university has just been appointed research engineer in the station. He will make a thorough study of combustion as part of the Ohio coal investigation project being carried on by the station.

Faust was graduated here in mechanical engineering in 1923, and a year later received the degree of

ing fellowship here. During that time he had an important part in the study of the effect on stratification of an engineering experiment bulletin under that title.

NEW BURLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carr, Mr. and Mrs. David Noggle were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stanley and son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips near Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKinney and daughters Freda, Betty Wilma and Carolyn, and David Turner were guests of Mrs. Sylvia Weaver at Jamestown on Sunday of last week.

Miss Esther Hunt of near Wilmington, spent the week with her

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin of Sabina spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stanley.

The Sunshine Band held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Rhea Jeanette and Ruth Eleanor Blair. A social time was enjoyed by the children.

Miss Opal Harner of near Spring Valley was the guest of Miss Helen Haines Thursday night.

Mrs. Anna Fields, Mrs. Sarah Sprow of Wilmington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chenoweth and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Alexander and family of Spring Valley and Mrs. Mary Lemar were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. DeHaven Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan of near Hillsboro was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bogan and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wilson the past week.

David Turner is spending the

Special meetings are still in progress at the Friends Church.

Rev. Kilmer is holding a series of meetings at the Sharon M. E. Church.

PLENTY OF ACTION!

MARION, O., Dec. 1. — The bell clanged in the Marion fire station.

Two fire companies and a ladder truck rushed to box number 26, where the alarm had been turned in.

A false alarm they were told. An elderly gentleman, who had just moved to the city, mistook the fire box for a mail box, it was explained.

THREE DAYS COUGH IS YOUR DANGER SIGNAL

Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation, while the creosote goes on the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of coughs from colds, bronchitis and minor forms of bronchial irritations, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (adv.)

CREOMULSION

FOR THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SALE

MAKE THIS YOUR Christmas Store

CANDY

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CHRISTMAS CANDIES

Special Low Prices On

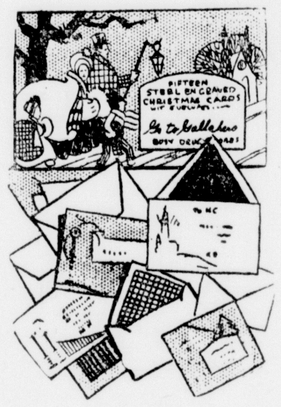
Hard Mixed Candy	19c per lb.
French Creams Ass't	19c per lb.
Sunbright Candies	29c per lb.
Peppermint Sticks	75c per box
Thinshell Filled Candy	1-lb. jar 49c
Thinshell Filled Candy	3-lb. jar 98c
Chocolate Drops	29c per lb.
Chocolate, Cocoanut Spiders	39c per lb.
Chicken Bones	1-lb. tins 49c
5-Lb. Box Hand-Dipped Chocolates	$1.98
3-Lb. Box Hand-Dipped Chocolates	$1.49
Old-Fashioned Gum Drops	29c per lb.

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1-Lb. Boxes 65c. And 2-Lb. Boxes $1.30

Sale of Christmas Cards



Each card in this assortment is individual; no two cards are alike. Each assortment consists of 15 cards with interlined envelopes of high grade tissue harmonizing with the beautiful sketches and coloring of its respective card.

49c

SMOKE UP!

Lucky Strikes or Old Golds, carton	$1.14
Camels or Chesterfields, carton	$1.17
Prince Albert, 8-oz. tins	49c
Prince Albert, 16-oz. tins	95c
Ronson Lighters, in leather	$4.95
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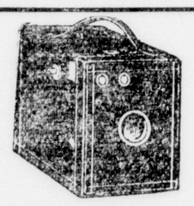
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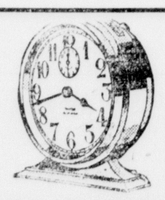
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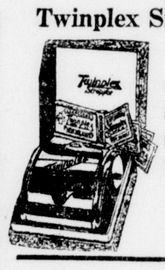
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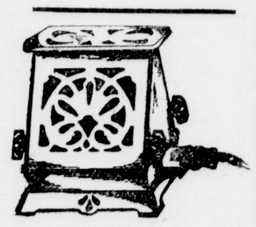


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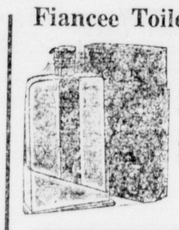
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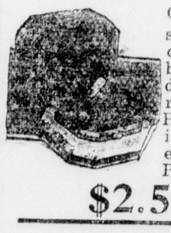
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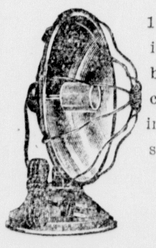
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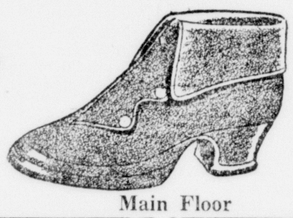
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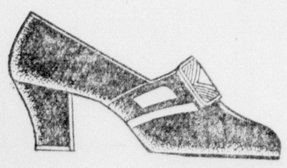


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JOINT MEETING HELD AT MRS. LEWIS' HOME

A joint meeting of the Ladies Aid and Missionary Society of the United Brethren Church was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Lewis, S. Detroit St., Wednesday afternoon.

There was a large attendance and the meeting was opened with the president of the Ladies Aid, Mrs. Rosa Reese, presiding. A short business session followed.

Mrs. C. E. Trubee, president of the Missionary Society, presided for the latter part of the program. The Candle Lighting Service was used. Those taking part in the service were: "Love," Mrs. John Acton; "Humility," Mrs. Oscar Pidgeon; "Self-Sacrifice," Mrs. George Luttrell; "Spirit of Giving," Mrs. Crumrine; "Joy and Beauty," Mrs. William Phillips; "Peace," Mrs. Butler; "Friendship," Mrs. S. Brill; "Good-Will," Mrs. Rosa Reese and "Service and Brotherhood," Mrs. Harry Stephens.

A social hour followed and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Acton, served a dainty refreshment course.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY.

Members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Reformed Church met in the parlors of the church Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Eavey was in charge of the devotional service and was assisted by Mrs. Frances Evans and Mrs. L. L. Trader. Special emphasis was used on the Christmas season in other lands. Christmas carols were sung by Mrs. Eavey, Mrs. Clarence Fisher, Mrs. Raymond Wolf and Mrs. Edwin Buck.

A chapter from the study book, "Jerusalem to Jerusalem" was interestingly ready by Mrs. C. L. Jobe. The study was followed by a short business session.

There were twenty-six members and five visitors present. A social hour was held at the close of the meeting and a dainty refreshment course served. Decorations of red and green in keeping with the Christmas season were used. The hostesses were: Mrs. H. E. Schmidt, Mrs. L. S. Barnes and Mrs. Ross Harner.

McCLELLAND W. C. T. U. HAS MEETING WEDNESDAY.

Mrs. Lawrence Manor, north of Trebeins, delightfully entertained members of the McClelland W. C. T. U. at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting opened with a devotional period in charge of Mrs. Myrtle Manor. Fifteen members answered roll call with Bible verses. There were two visitors present.

Mrs. Hazel Manor gave a report of the state convention at Findlay last summer and was followed by a pageant on "Peace", the topic of the afternoon, under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Weiss.

During a short business session which followed the program, members voted to piece and make a comfort. Plans were also made for an all-day meeting to be held the second Wednesday in January and will be held at the home of Mrs. Clint Manor.

The hostess was assisted in serving a light refreshment course during the social hour, by Mrs. Sarah Dice and Mrs. Orda Jacobs.

PHI DELTS ENTERTAIN FOR "TIP-TOP REVUE" CAST

Members of Ohio Beta Beta Chapter, Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity, entertained with a dance at Elks' Hall, Wednesday evening, for the pleasure of members of the cast and assisting staff of the recent musical comedy hit, "The Tip-Top Revue," given at the Xenia Opera House.

About fifty couples attended the dance. The Antioch Cosmopolitan Band furnished the music.

Mr. Walter Wilson, coach at Xenia Central High School, is confined to his home on E. Second St., being ill with the grip. His condition is reported improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beal, near Jamestown, are announcing the birth of a son, Wednesday. The baby has not been named.

Misses Jean B. Elwell and Maud Ebright, E. Church St., left Friday morning by motor for Longbeach, Fla., where they will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McElwain, Jamestown, left Wednesday morning for Kanas City, Mo., being called there because of the serious illness of Mr. McElwain's father, Mr. Asbury McElwain.

Preceding funeral services arranged for 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Trinity M. E. Church, brief services for Mrs. Ada Irene Peterson McKay, 77, widow of Mr. George Albert McKay, who was former Greene County surveyor for more than twenty years, will be held at the residence, 110 W. Second St., at 1:30 p. m. Saturday. Friends may call at the home anytime Friday afternoon and evening. Burial will be made in Woodland Cemetery.

A Christmas dance sponsored by members of the Elks Lodge, will be given at the Elks' Hall Wednesday evening, December 18. The Antioch Cosmopolitan Band will furnish music for dancing.

Mrs. Russell Stingley, Spring Valley, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident on the Cincinnati Pike some time ago, was removed from McClellan Hospital to her home, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Marguerite Reigel, who underwent an operation for the removal of her appendix at McClellan hospital some time ago, was removed to her home on E. Second St., Thursday.

Trinity M. E. Church Choir will [illegible] for rehearsal Friday evening at 7 o'clock, the time having been changed. Choirs uniting in the Christmas music at Trinity Church are urgently requested to attend this rehearsal, which will begin promptly at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. James Wilson III will meet with the primary department of the First Presbyterian Church, Friday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at the church for rehearsal.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church will hold its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. John Beatty, N. Detroit St., Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to attend and bring a gift for the Christmas box. A program of special music is being arranged and a talk on her visit to Marcy Center in Chicago will be given by Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. H. W. Owens, W. Third St., who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at McClellan Hospital three weeks ago, was removed Thursday from the hospital to the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Higgins, S. King St.

Mrs. M. T. Kelly, Covington, Va., spent Sunday in this city with her brother-in-law, Mr. A. P. Neff, Dayton Ave. She left for Wooster, Monday morning, where she will spend a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelly.

City Commission will meet at City Hall, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, for the regular bimonthly meeting. All members are urged to be in attendance.

Having been transferred to territory that includes Greene, Warren and Butler Counties, with headquarters at Xenia, Mr. Ralph Ryan, district manager of the Shell Petroleum Co., has moved with his family from Troy to this city.

Mr. John Gibney, N. Galloway St., will leave Saturday morning for Cleveland where he will spend the week end with former class mates of University School. While ther, he will attend the formal dance which is given annually for the football squad.

Dr. and Mrs. I. H. MacKinnon, New York City, left for the East Wednesday after spending a few days here as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Kester, N. King St.

Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Bassinger and Mrs. Henry Seeber, all of Lima, were guests of Mrs. Anna M. Townsley, of Cedarville, Tuesday.

The second meeting of the nutrition project, "Attractive Desserts" will be held at the home of Mrs. Ervin Harner, 134 W. Church St., Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. All women interested in the project are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

The regular meeting of Mrs. J. T. Charter's Sunday School Class of the First M. E. Church, will be held at the home of Mrs. Zack Reynolds, N. Detroit St., Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and bring a toy for the Christmas box.

OPERA SECRETS BARED?

Mme. Frances Olda Writes Of Twenty-Two Years Behind The Scenes



Mme. Frances Alda

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Whether or not Mme. Frances Alda will tell "all" about the Metropolitan opera is a question debated in the best operatic circles these days.

Mme. Alda, deserting opera for the radio, until last year was the wife of Giulio Gatti-Casazza, director of the Metropolitan opera. Then she obtained a divorce.

Now Mme. Alda is writing a book of her twenty-two years' experience at the opera. It will be ready in the spring, following completion of her last season at the Metropolitan.

Title Changed

"I had intended calling the book 'Gaiti-Casazza's Wife,' Mme. Alda said. But the title is to be "Coming of Age With the Metropolitan."

"It is written, however, from the point of view of Gatti-Casazza's wife," Mme. Alda added. "I have selected a number of details behind the scenes at the Metropolitan which I think are of the greatest interest." Her eyes flashed.

Secrets

Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Fetz, N. King St., have as their guest, Miss Myrtle Olson, Duluth, Minn., who arrived here Thursday morning for several days visit.

"How many of those who attend the opera know that one of the popular operas always is sung one-half tone lower than it should be—to accommodate a favorite principal who cannot reach the high notes?" Mme. Alda went on. "And why, to the bewilderment of the public, are some principals given certain roles when other singers are more suitable?"

All of which is accentuated by the collapse and resignation of Josef Rosenstock, conductor brought from Germany for Wagnerian operas after conducting only three times.

Mme. Alda is singing six Puccini operas over the radio—one a month.

RATE REDUCED

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The Bank of England today announced the reduction of its rediscount rate from 5½ per cent to 5 per cent. Further reduction from the 5½ per cent rate to which the bank rate was reduced on Nov. 21 was regarded here as evidence of gradual readjustment of financial conditions and the flow of gold between the United States and Europe.

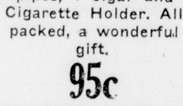
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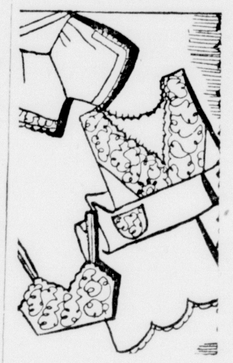
BUFFET & TABLE SCARFS
25c to 98c

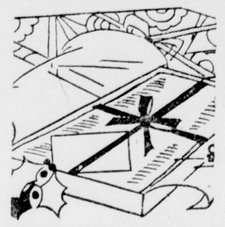
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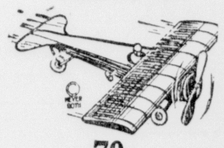
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

THE LIVING BREAD—I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever: and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.—John 6:51.

COMMISSIONS

"A commission message!" was Congressman Garner's comment, after reading Mr. Hoover's first annual communication to the congress. The frequency with which the word "commission" appears in the message justifies that pleasantry; and it may, with the assistance of Mr. Hoover's frequent employment of the word outside of messages, assure him a place in history as the commission president. That would not in itself be discreditable. Condemnation of commissions can be carried too far, as easily as commissions can be. They promise much; and, while waiting for the fulfillment, we are content to raise only the question of the need for so many of them, allowing Mr. Hoover's political antagonists to pursue the malign apparitions they alone apparently discern in what they incorrectly dub commission government.

The unprecedented number of commissions Mr. Hoover has appointed or suggested appointing indicates primarily that he is actively interested in an unprecedently wide range of public questions. We do not suspect him of using such agencies as royal commissions are sometimes used in Great Britain, as means of assuaging public apprehension or stilling popular clamor until a crisis has passed and then burying interest in it under a ton of paper and ink. We 3are confident that each of the commissions and committees he has appointed represents a sincere and earnest desire on Mr. Hoover's part to get to the bottom of a public question, with a view to doing something about it. What we can't see is why so many extra-governmental agencies are necessary to ferret out facts that ought to be obtainable from the departments presided over by the gentlemen who meet him twice a week around the cabinet table.

The only possible reason for relieving the departments of this work is lack of brains or lack of time in the departments concerned. A departments concerned. A departmental staff obviously hasn't the time, apart from its regular duties, to count the roads running into Canada or Mexico in order to explain the existence of 32,000 blind pigs in New York City; but it is highly probable that Attorney-General Mitchell and his staff have both the time and the facts to give Mr. Hoover a workable idea of what is wrong with prohibition and general law enforcement. Similarly, what the federal government can do to promote education, what must be done to eradicate illiteracy, what disposition shall be made of the public domain, what latitude shall be allowed in branch banking, all questions which Mr. Hoover is having or would have examined by commissions or committees, are matters falling within the knowledge of various departments already in existence in Washington and on the national payroll. Their personnel might be better employed in digging up facts for the White House than in idly kicking its heels against the day it will retire on a pension. As for brains, if the departments haven't them, they ought to; for the country pays enough in salaries to command as much gray matter as the average commission provides.

DECIDEDLY PUZZLING

The rioting growing out of a strike of customs officials at Port au Prince, which has necessitated imposition of martial law by the American marines and the Haitien constabulary acting together, calls attention to a paragraph in President Hoover's annual message. Discussing the presence of marines in other countries, the President intimated that the prospect for reduction of the number in Nicaragua is bright, but added: "In Haiti we have about 700 marines, but it is a much more difficult problem, the solution of which is still obscure. If congress approves, I shall dispatch a commission to Haiti to review and study the matter in an endeavor to arrive at some more definite policy than at present."

The Haitian situation unquestionably is very puzzling. Since the United States intervened in the country and placed marines there, a new era of peace and prosperity has succeeded a long period of bloody revolutionary activties under which the land was sinking further and further into savagery. The stability of the government, the social security even in remote places, and the general condition of quiet, are, however, only a thin veneer beneath which the ancient barbarous instincts and impulses still surge, and which at times, is insufficient to prevent return to the practices of bloody and licenticus paganism. There is no real reason to suppose that, lacking the presence of the restraining authority of the United States, the existing generally peaceful condition would last six months.

After keeping track of the parachute jumping records, we have about reached the conclusion that we prefer to risk an operation for appendicitis.

The decision regarding Mr. Vare was so much a foregone conclusion that it is hard work to scare up even passing interest in the actual event.

Bo-Broadway

By JOSEPH VAN RAALTE

ALWAYS JOURNEYED APART

Leave the movies and the commissioner for a moment and consider the Shuberts, who have developed almost a civic conscience so far as their organization is concerned. This was manifested the other day when the two brothers journeyed to Atlantic City to witness the try-out of one of their new productions.

Although they could have taken the same train to the delightful resort which theatrical managers do their best to spoil by first exhibiting their new productions there. Lee took one train and Jake another.

Then it was learned that the brothers, if possible never travel on the same train. Sometimes when it has been absolutely necessary for them to violate this rule they use different Pullmans. Their organization is so peculiarly pivoted upon a centralized control exercised by the pair that they divide the hazards of travel by journeying apart. The same principle is applied to any sort of vehicular journeying.

THE BUSY EDDIE

Eddie Cantor's dressing room, when he is playing on Broadway, is a cross between a social center and a business office. He has a phone installed and one or two stenographers at hand to assist him in his business transactions with producers, song writers, men seeking endorsements, real estate agents, playrights, librettists, composers and the army of the ragtag that spend their lives wallowing in the wake of celebrities.

Recently a stage hand happened to drift in on some errand and he and Cantor got talking. One word led to another and the stage hand remarked in passing that he had difficulty in saving any of his wage scale.

"I'll tell you how I got my start," said Eddie. "I adopted the budget system, you know, dividing my money into savings, investments, recreations, living expenses—"

And he went on for ten of the valuable minutes which he had no difficulty in disposing of for much money to instruct the humble stage hand in the gentle art of budgeting his income.

THE WAY of the WORLD

By GROVE PATTERSON

BOREDOM

Boredom is a complaint frequently heard. We crave entertainment and are bored when we don't get it. We avoid some people because we fear we shall be bored. Mostly we are bored because we haven't enough to do or because what we do is not sufficiently interesting. For all of these reactions we can blame only ourselves. Almost everything is interesting if we approach it in the right frame of mind. If we look upon any activity as drudgery, as incapable of producing interest, as just something to be got through with, we shall be bored much of the time. But if we approach every human being with curiosity and see adventure in every job we can pack life full of interest whether we live in the largest city in the world or a cross-roads village.

AS TO BEING MODERN

Some after dinner speaker, seeking to be smart, says the trouble with boys today is that too many woodsheds have been turned into garages. He says the best board of laugh sympathetically when someeducation is a shingle. Most of us one compares youthful antics of today with the bicycle product of the gay nineties. Indeed there is a feeling on the part of many that old days, old customs were better. We shy away from modern inventions and improvements as though they had brought something evil or at least of doubtful value into the world. There is no basis for such opinion. Modern life has given us vastly more to do with. If we have sense enough to take advantage of modern improvements, we should make a better, finer job of living than men have ever made in human history.

Let's not be afraid of invention, of modern ideas, of a changed world, but let's study ourselves and the new world in order to do a vastly better job with our improved facilities.

MACHINES

Students of mankind since John Ruskin have voiced the fear of machines. They have thought that because man could get a hundred times more done in an hour with modern machines than he could do by hand in the old days, he was losing something out of his life, losing his soul. It is true that a man who does nothing for eight hours but screw a nut on a bolt, and does that month in and month out, may not be learning very much in the way of improved workmanship. On the other hand, with that kind of a job, his mind is released. His imagination is free. He is in position to do sound and productive thinking if he is intelligent enough. The job isn't killing him or necessarily hurting him. If he loses out in his intellectual development it is for reasons that lie deeper than his nut-bolt job.

Who's Who and Timely Views

RHODE ISLAND DESCRIBED AS PROSPEROUS

By NORMAN S. CASE
Governor of Rhode Island

Norman Stanley Case was born at Providence, R. I., Oct. 11, 1888. He is a graduate of Brown university, later studying law at Harvard and Boston universities. He was admitted to the bar in 1911. From 1914 to 1918 he was a member of the city council of Providence. He was elected lieutenant governor of Rhode Island in 1927 and succeeded Governor Ponthier in office when the latter died in 1928. In 1916 he served on the Mexican border and later in France during the World war.

Rhode Island is at the dawn of another period of activity that will be helpful to our sister states. The 12-month nearing its close marks a record of achievement in my state.

Rhode Island bank statements show continued increasing business. Savings deposits increase represents approximately $7,000,000 over last year. Since the department was established in 1908 the increase in this branch of banking represents 214 per cent.

I understand our export trade is good. I wish it were in greater volume. Labor appears to be fairly well employed.

We have opened to public use one of the largest suspension bridges in the country. This structure connects the island of Rhode Island, on which Newport is located, with the mainland at Bristol. Its cost was approximately $4,000,000.

During the coming year Washington bridge, connecting Providence and East Providence, will be ready for public travel. This work of art in masonry and steel, when completed, will have cost about $3,500,000.

Our 1929 highway improvements show an expenditure of from $3,500,000 to $4,000,000.

Home-building continues throughout my state. Evidence of this is to be found on every artery of travel. Developments of short properties have been of real import.

Our tourist business for the past summer, I believe, was in greater volume than at any time in the state's history. We are bound to have an increase in 1930.

A few months since a committee of the New England council issued a report on New England power, communities were told that unity of action is a necessity for proper growth and introduction of utilities. Our metropolitan park system is reaching out in many directions. Acres have been added to the public recreation spots and further additions are in the works.

We are engaged in building a state airport. Expansion of rail facilities are promised.

We are adjusting ourselves to ever-changing conditions, growing faster than ever before, and in our growth we are lending substantial assistance to all New England.

WAITING FOR THE YULE TIDE



How To Achieve Beauty

By MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

The most eloquent and speaking part of the human body is the hand. It is the most conspicuous member, the most noticeable, and it is truly merciless in its revelation of character, habits—and what is mores erious—age.

You can easily be mastered by your hands. They can make you feel ill at ease, stupid and awkward if you allow them to. On the other hand, they can serve you in fact, they can very simply be used to enhance every bit of charm or attraction you have.

When I once stayed at a well-known house which ranks as one of "the stately homes of England," I found myself lost in rapture over two very fine Vandyck portraits among other ancestral treasures of my host and hostess. The sight of these pictures made me really realize how beautiful hands could be. My host afterwards told me that the women of his family throughout generations were famed for lovely hands, and he also told me that Vandyck loved to paint hands, and that if any of his sitters had ugly hands, he would either use a pose which hid them, or he would paint in some one else's hands. If you ever want to know what really exquisite, full-of-expression hands are like, look at a Vandyck picture.

The fact that you are a worker is no excuse for neglecting your hands—but rather a special reason why you should give them the best care. Hand gestures are always fascinating and elegant, but you must have attractive hands. If you are conversing with somebody, and you wish to emphasize a point, hand movement is a tremendous help, because it not only is very expressive, but it draws attention to the fact that you have a pretty hand.

I always insist on a great deal of hand massage with a good cream, and plenty of hand exercise. Do this every night, and whether your hands are of the useful-looking type, the long-fingered, graceful kind, or the soft, fluttery variety you are perfectly safe to use them for decorative purposes. With hand gestures, however, one should be very careful not to overdo them, because overdone hand flutters and movements are the most ludicrous kind of affection.

Do not, I beg of you, wear a ring because it is a ring and meant to be worn on a hand. Make perfectly certain that it is meant for **your** hand, because your hand is quite different from anyone else's. Personally I love rings, but I have made a study of my hand in relation to my type of dressing, and I keep one or two really striking rings which have really now become part of myself. The right kind of ring will aid your graceful appearance, the wrong kind, or the characterless kind, will utterly mar it, and it will add so much to the use you make of your hands.

The World and All

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

HOW MUCH GEOGRAPHY?

I am not surprised to learn that a test made by the Review of Reviews has shown that American high school students know very little about geography.

It has always seemed to me that too little attention is paid to geography in our schools.

(And I say this diffidently, for I know that these is no one too humble or too ignorant to criticize the schools. Everybody who has a hobby thinks half the school day ought to be given to teaching this hobby to the youngsters.)

We are living in a certain world. We need to know a lot about it, in order to function as reasonable units in it.

I am anxious that all children in the schools be taught that Argentina is not "the Argentine." How can we expect to have cultured or commercial relations with Latin America as long as roving reporters and intensive editorial writers continue to write about "the Argentine"? Would we love Argentina if her newspapers and public speakers continually referred to America as "the American"?

I think it essential that children learn at a tender age that Barbadoes is an island in the Caribbean, and is not "the Barbadoes." Barbadoes, unfortunately, ends in s. Many people, some of whom write for publication, think that any country that ends in s is plural, and should have "the" before it. Barbadoes is Spanish for whiskers. When the early Spanish explorers passed Barbadoes they were impressed by the mossy whiskers worn by the forest trees that leaned far out over the water. So they called the island Whiskers, or Barbardoes.

Rutland, Vt., has marble curbstones. Wichita, Kas., is the biggest airplane manufacturing center, and Akron, O., makes most of the rubber and balloons. Montreal is on an island, and it has a beautiful mountain, called Mount Royal, which is a public park where no automobiles are tolerated. Boston is celebrated for beans and the Common, and Oklahoma City has oil wells on city lots. The Fords have a large factory in St. Paul, Minn., but Minneapolis had the Lake of the Isles. Chicago is going to be the largest city in the world, and Texas has only just begun to develop as a great commercial empire. Atlanta has Peachtree road, Cleveland has Euclid avenue, Charleston has the Magnolia Gardens, Wiscasset has Donald Macmillan, and Los Angeles has Mrs. McPherson. I'd like to have our school children familiar with these geographical facts, and with many others of equal importance.

GERMAN CHRISTMAS COOKIES

Pomeranzen Brod (Citron Bread)
(Mrs. Mary Morton's Daily Tested Recipe.)

One-half pound sugar, two whole eggs, two yolks. Stir half an hour. Add one ounce citron peel, one-half ounce orange peel, one-half ounce lemon peel, one-half pound flour, one-half teaspoon ammonia. Roll dough in half-inch rolls. Cut about two inches long, bake in moderate oven.

The ammonia called for in this recipe is called lump ammonia, and is purchased in the drug store. Five cents worth is ample. Must be scraped before measuring.

NOT HER WORRY

"Another new dress! Where am I to get the money to pay for it?"

"I don't know. I'm your wife, not your financial adviser."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

By MRS. MARY MORTON

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Menu Hint

BREAKFAST
Orange Juice Rolled Oats, Cream
Soft Boiled Eggs Toast
Coffee
LUNCHEON
Oyster Stew Crackers
Fruit Salad Tea
Date Bars
DINNER
Oyster Cocktail
Flank Steak in Casserole
Baked Potatoes Asparagus Salad
Tapioca Pudding Tea

This menu was planned for two. Enough oysters are saved from the stew to make the dinner cocktails.

Today's Recipes

Flank Steak—Wash steak, dry and dredge with plenty of flour, and salt. Put one tablespoon of butter or drippings in frying pan and brown meat. Cut in two pieces and put in casserole. Add one cup of water in pan, with one medium onion (cut fine) and one tablespoon of vinegar. Let come to a boil and boil five minutes. Pour over steak and cook in slow oven two or three hours.

Date Bars—One cup sugar, one tablespoon butter, two eggs (well beaten), one tablespoon hot water, one cup sifted flour, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half cup chopped nuts, three-fourths pound dates (cut fine). Mix in order given, bake in long shallow pan about 20 minutes. Let stand until cool, cut in stripes three inches by one and roll in powdered sugar. Makes about three and a half dozen.

Oyster Stew—One-half pint oysters, two cups milk, two tablespoons butter, salt and pepper. Place oysters in strainer and pour over one-fourth cup of cold water (reserving liquor.) Pick over oysters, return oysters to liquor and cook until edges begin to curl. Heat milk and butter, combine all and let come to a boil. Do not boil.

CHRISTMAS COOKIES
ZIMTSTERN (CINNAMON STARS)
(Mrs. Mary Morton's Daily Tested Recipe)

One-half pound sugar, five egg whites beaten stiff. Stir half an hour. Add one-half pound almonds cut fine, one candied lemon peeling cut fine, two teaspoons cloves, two teaspoons cinnamon, one-half teaspoon cooking ammonia, enough flour to form. Roll dough about one-fourth inch thick. Cut with star cutter. Sprinkle with granulated sugar. Press half an almond in center of each cookie and bake in moderate oven. The ammonia called for in this recipe is called lump ammonia, and is purchased in the drug store. Five cents worth is ample. Must be scraped before measuring.

SIMPLE

Silk Producer—"You see, madam, the coolies just feed the silkworms mulberry leaves and they spin the silk."

Female Visitor—"Yet, but how do you get them to spin the colors you want?"

Silk Producer (hopelessly)—"We just leave it to their own aesthetic inclinations, madam."

THE ONE MINUTE PULPIT

So he came near where I stood: and when he came, I was afraid, and fell upon my face: be said unto me, Understand, O son of man: for at the time of the end shall be the vision.—Daniel viii, 17.

NO GOOD

"Well, Tommy, what do you think of your new bouncing brother?"

"Something's the matter with him, pa. I dropped him as hard as I could on the floor, but he wouldn't bounce."

Diet and Health

By LULU HUNT PETERS, M. D.
Author of "Diet and Health" and "Diet for Children"

Cereals

"Dear Dr. Lulu: What are the dangers of eating very little bread and cereal? My family prefers the starch of potatoes. I have just about concluded that there is no substitute for cereal because even though my children eat all the other foods, I find it necessary to give laxatives often. Is it possible to eat too much fruit?

"MRS. B."

Give your family cereals in the morning, Mrs. B. Get the whole-grain types for steady use. They are not only good energy foods, but they have a high-grade protein, and vitamins. (So do potatoes.) The whole-grain products are high in vitamin B, which is necessary for the integrity of the intestinal tract, and therefore peristalsis, and this is one of the reasons for its helpful effect in constipation. And the bran furnishes necessary bulk.

Potatoes are an exceedingly wholesome food, having an alkaline ash, and there are many who can, with profit, eat more of them and proportionately less cereal products Those who should do this are those who have been having too many of the cereal products (this includes bread and cakes) and other acid-ash foods, and are suffering from a dietary acidosis from this excess. But, except in conditions of acidosis, where all of the foods had better be of the alkaline-ash type (in general, fruits, vegetables, milk and nuts), blood pressure and kidney disease, it is only necessary to have the larger part of the diet composed of the alkaline-ash foods. Normally we need some of the acid-ash foods, too.

Remember that the use of laxatives is generally followed by constipation, and they should not be used except when it is necessary to clear out the intestinal tract. Have your children have a regula time for going to the toilet, "habi time" being an important facto in establishing normality. Bu don't be over-anxious about th children's constipation, especiall before them. Over-emphasis o any irregularity brings on a men tal anxiety which accentuates th condition. Many neurotics hav been developed by just such pro cedures.

As to your question as to wheth er it is possible to eat too muc fruit: Yes, it is possible to overd any good thing. A varied diet i needed to get all of the needed elements, and if you eat too muc of anything, you are apt to un balance your diet and upset th normal chemistry of the body You can have 1 1-2 to 2 pound of fruit daily—a good quota—al though many can take more with out ill effects, and others wh have the equivalent in vegetables can take less. One and one-hal to 2 pounds of fruit and vege tables a day is a good workin rule. This not only furnishes bul but vitamins, mineral element and good energy food, the pures type of water, and a fraction o protein. Those who have s disturbance of the intestinal trac might not be able to care for thi amount and they might have t have their vegetables and fruit pureed. But they should hav some, for it has been found tha when patients are kept too long on diets devoid of fruits and vege tables, they get scurvy added t their troubles.

Send for our articles on Balanced Diet and Constipation, Mrs. B You will find these very helpful.

Mrs. L.—Our pamphlet on Kidney and Bladder Disorders take up the diet in Bright's disease See column rules for obtaining this.

Living and Loving

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

HAVE a heart, Parents! Remember your youth. Surely in those not-too-far-off days you must recall that you had some things to say to your sweetheart that you did not want the rest of the family to hear.

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"DEAR VIRGINIA: I am 20 years of age, and I have been going with a young man. When he comes to see me our parlor is too cold to sit in, as it isn't heated. We have no davenport to sit on, and so I have to entertain him in the dining room.

"My folks sit up and talk to him until 10 o'clock, and then go to bed, supposedly. Pretty soon I hear dad creeping down the stairs to look on. This is driving me mad.

"I have had boy friends since I was 16, and he has always been the audience. Why can't he realize that I am old enough to know how to entertain correctly? I've often wondered if he ever thinks how he acted when he was young.

"What shall I do, leave?

"DISGUSTED."

Have you appealed to your father to remember his youth, Disgusted? Has your mother talked to him? He probably just loves to see you and your boy friend, and gloat over his attractive daughter—thinks you are "cute." You typify romance to him, and he can't resist listening to you and looking at you. Maybe he thinks you don't know he's there.

Your best weapon is loving ridicule. Tell him he'll drive you from home if he doesn't stop. That you'll never have any boy friends if he keeps up his espionage. Go out as much as you can with your boy friend to save yourself this irritation. Suggest a brisk walk, or an errand to the store. That will discourage your father, and when you return he will probably have gone to bed.

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LOST LOVE: Possibly a visit to and a good talk with, a doctor would be the best thing for you. I think your condition is largely mental, and that you might overcome it with effort on your part and help from outside. I wonder if you could find a doctor who specializes in psycho-analysis or a nerve specialist. Call up your county medical society and ask them to recommend one.

Your husband is a good provider, you say, and loves children. Possibly a physician, such as I have mentioned, would be able to help you overcome your peculiarity, and thus remove the cause of your dissatisfaction. Make every effort to adjust your differences and make your marriage a success, for the sake of the children as well as of you two.

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BLONDY: Your letter has been answered some time ago.

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RED A.: No, I'm not going to scold you or anything like that. I will just make one suggestion. When you meet the boy on who you wsh to make a good impressio forget that you are good and thin only of how nice he is and ta him about his interests.

With all your attractions should make a hit. It's pe proper for a kid like you to ha case of love sickness, even if turns out to be "puppy love," so b your nicest, and I hope the boy wil come up to your expectations o him.

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WONDERING FIFTEEN: Don despair of growing tall this early i your life, dear. You probably wil grow a good deal in the next fe years. You can do stretching exercises, and drink plenty of milk, ea green vegetables, etc. They wil help; but if you never grow "divinely tall," remember that most me like little woman.

As to the boys, be interested i them in a jolly, sympathetic way and don't let them think you're dying of love for them—which, o course, you aren't—and they ma be tempted to ask for dates.

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TWO-IN-ONE: Necking is hugging and kissing, girls. I don' think you have been guilty of that If your church does not forbid dancing, and your parents approve, i is perfectly proper for you to dance occasionally in respectable places if you do not stay out so late as t endanger your health.

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YOUNG MOTHER: I would advise you to read the riot act t your husband, and tell him yo would leave him if he was so abusive, only I'm afraid that would make things worse for you. One i hardly safe with a man who hit his wife and throws things at her Call up your prosecutor and as him what you should do to get protection. It's a shame for you to b so treated.

Peter's Adventures

By MRS. FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

HOW DEATH'S WATCH GOT HIS NAME

Mrs. Death's Watch was a good sport. She might have been so weak as to faint, but she was not going to make a fuss about it.

"I feel quite all right now," said the little lady, sitting up and smoothing down her wings. "We were out house-hunting and when I heard husband calling, I thought he had found a choice spot to build. Had your husband?"

"I found the nicest site in these parts, my dear," said her husband, cheerfully. "We shall build a home that will be the envy of the Snap-Beetle tribe. It is beyond that hummock, over yonder! Shall we go and look at it, together?"

"Yes, let's!" cried his wife, jumping to her feet. You go ahead and I will follow if you'll rap now and then to tel me the way. You know how much faster you fly than I do, and I know how it tires you to keep my slow pace."

Mr. and Mrs. Death's Watch bade Biffer and the boy goodby. Long after they were out of sight could be heard the rat-a-tat of Mr. Snap Beetle as he "telephoned" directions to his mate.

"A devoted couple," remarked Peter. "Pleasant folks, too, but what a dreadful name they have.

"True, agreed Biffer, "and this is how they got it. Small as they are Uncle and Auntie Death's Watch scare the Two-Legs with their 'tat a-tat.' When they visit a Human house, as sometimes they do, the disturb the tenants with their mysterious knock. No Two-Legs can find out where it comes from. Some of them believe when it is heard it is a sign someone in the house is going on a journey from which they will never return. Of course it is not so—the Joke is on you Humans. But the same, give one of our family a reputation and he has a hard time So we call the most innocent sect in Beetle-Land 'Death's Watch,' for fun."

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED by Phil

When brains were passed out the sport writers of the South Central League were taking a collective vacation, in the opinion of a new coach of a league school, it seems. This coach, at a recent league meeting at Frankfort, is said to have taken exception to a recent all-star football team which represented the concensus of opinion of the league's pen and pencil pushers.

The basis of his uncomplimentary remarks directed against the sport writers of the circuit was that Noon, his fullback, was far and away the league's best fullback. Noon was the star of the Washington C. H. football team and lived up to that reputation when Washington trounced Xenia 21 to 0 during the past season. It seems that Noon was overlooked when the mythical eleven was selected.

The scribes, however, are not getting gray-headed about it and are said to be taking a little "razzing" in a spirt that it is all in a day's work. The coach, by the way, is Jimmy Price, former Wittenberg College grid star.

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Coach Wertz, Piqua High School mentor is faced with the necessity of doing a little rebuilding on his own account in developing a basketball team this season and this fact should not cause followers of Xenia Central High's court team any gloomy moments. Piqua has Neth and R. Black at forwards and Ramsey available once more for a guard post but the biggest worry for the Indian coach is whether a good center can be discovered, not to mention another guard. However the center problem is the biggest and the outlook for a solution of the question is said to be not so promising.

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Jamestown High School boys' basketball team, which has a home playing floor this season for the first time in a number of years and recently created a sensation in Greene County Class B court circles by defeating the strong Bellbrook quintet, has experienced some tough luck and will probably be crippled until after the Christmas holidays.

Jamestown is scheduled to play Plattsburg on the home floor Friday night and will be without the services of two regulars.

Leo Coe, center and captain of the team, suffered an attack of appendicitis at the start of the fourth quarter of the game with Bowersville last week and will not be in shape to play again before next month. On top of this Charles James, colored guard, tore the ligaments in his right ankle in practice Tuesday night, and is on the shelf for the remainder of the month at least.

Loss of these two youths will seriously handicap Jamestown for the time being.

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Back to the Philadelphia Nationals, where he made his major league debut more than a quarter of a century ago, goes Grover Cleveland Alexander, recognized as one of the greatest baseball pitchers of all time.

The "grand old man" was traded to the Phillies by the St. Louis Cardinals Wednesday. Alex along with Catcher Harry McCurdy, who was recently drafted by the Cardinals from Toledo, go to Philadelphia in exchange for Outfielder Homer Peel and Pitcher Bob McGraw. The Cards also gave some cold cash, it is said.

Undoubtedly Alexander's best days are behind him but he still has a lot of stuff and would have made a valuable addition to the Cincinati Reds pitching staff, even if he was only used as a relief hurler.

THREE KILLED WHEN FIRE WRECKS HOTEL

WICHITA FALLS, Texas., Dec. 12.—Three men were crushed to death beneath falling walls, and nine persons were seriously injured today when fire destroyed the Antlers Hotel, in the downtown district here.

The dead were Smiley Turner, assistant fire chief, C. L. Anderson, fireman and Toby Brice, taxicab driver.

The origin of the fire was not known.

ASSISTANT COACH PATTERSON DIRECTS BUCCANEER PRACTICE

Practically on the eve of Xenia Central High School's inaugural basketball game of the season against Waynesville at the local gym Friday night, Coach Walter "Pinky" Wilson was taken suddenly ill Wednesday and is confined indoors with a slight case of grip.

With Coach Wilson facing the possibility of an enforced absence of three or four days, the Buccaneer court squad practice session Wednesday afternoon was directed by Assistant Coach Hi Glen Patterson.

The high school mentor's condition is not described as serious, however, and he was slightly improved Thursday.

The Bucs will be placed at somewhat of a disadvantage in their opening game Friday night because of the fact the Waynesville quintet has already played five games, it is said, and should therefore have rounded into mid-season form.

On the other hand the Xenia squad has been practicing for only two weeks, has not engaged in much scrimmage and the teamwork as well as basket-shooting has not reached the degree of perfection that will eventually come from constant playing.

The Bucs are hoping to get off on the right foot, however, with a victory and a close game is in prospect.

LEGION FORMS GUN CLUB AND OFFICERS SELECTED AT MEET

Permanent organization of the American Legion Gun Club was completed with the election of three officers for 1930 at a meeting of about twenty marksmen at the armory of Company L, 147th Infantry, Ohio National Guard, Wednesday night.

Dr. H. C. Messenger was elected club manager, Steele Poague was chosen finance officer and Captain O. H. Cornwell, commander of the local guard unit, was selected coach.

Club members also participated in a practice rifle shooting contest from a seventy-five-foot range. Perfect scores of fifty out of as many shots were recorded by Captain Cornwell and Cecil Strowbridge. Other high scores included those of the following members: Dr. H. C. Messenger, forty-nine out of fifty; Steele Poague, forty-nine; Allen Turner, forty-eight; George Sugden, forty-seven; and Morris Sharp, forty-five. The seven highest scores provided a team total of 338 out of 350.

As finance officer, Steele Poague was designated to search for a suitable site for a rifle range which would be used by Company L and also the new gun club. Company L has been granted an appropriation of $1,000 for a range but a tract of ground measuring up to the necessary requirements has not been found.

According to Captain Cornwell, the range must be not less than 200 yards in length, preferably longer, and must also have an embankment at least forty feet in height to shoot into.

Bowling Scores

The team composed of M. Smith, Graham, Spahr, Bell, Davis and Chappel won two out of three games in the weekly Business Men's League bowling match Wednesday night. Box score:

No. 1 Team.			
M. Smith	142	101	125
Graham	126	174	160
Spahr	169	174	134
Bell	143	156	147
Davis	138	178	157
Chappel	131	125	176
Totals	849	908	899
No. 2 Team.			
Fuller	208	176	143
Long	125	125	125
Heathman	148	111	128
Ray Smith	169	115	102
Schmidt	118	174	131
Moll	168	163	154
Totals	936	864	783
No. 3 Team.			
Boxwell	123	156	162
Tate	148	133	134
Gibney	181	114	140
Sugden	152	178	128
Lang	125	125	125
Clevenger	155	167	170
Totals	884	873	859

DEFENDANTS WIN

After deliberating an hour a jury in Common Pleas Court returned a verdict for the defendants, Wednesday afternoon in the suit brought by L. S. Johnson against Anna Collier and Helen (Smith) Spahr, seeking recovery of $414.50, alleged due on a carpenter bill. Frank H. Dean was counsel for the plaintiff and Harry D. Smith was defense attorney.

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CARLISLE TO HEAD COMMERCIAL CLUB; HEAR ROAD PROGRAM

Paul D. Carlisle was elected president for 1930 when the Osborn Commercial Club held its annual dinner-meeting at the Osborn Hotel Tuesday night. Other officers selected for the coming year are: vice president, Frank C. Massey; secretary-treasurer, Walter M. Moore; board of control, Mayor-elect W. T. Naragon, O. B. Armstrong, Earl W. Burrowes and Warren J. Morris.

The amount of road work now in progress and what projects are contemplated in Greene County for 1930 was explained at the meeting by County Commissioners A. E. Beam and Herman Eavey, who discussed the subject "Road Improvements."

Insofar as funds will permit the commissioners announced that several highways in Bath Twp. may be improved next year. The improvement most desired by Fairfield and Osborn is the proposed extension of route No. 235 from Fairfield to the Valley Pike.

Petitions to the state highway department, seeking this improvement, are now being circulated and are expected to receive the signatures of practically every voter in the township as there is little opposition to the proposed extension. State financial aid is to be sought.

HOME GIRLS HEARD WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Music and the recessional were furnished by a chorus of girls from the O. S. and S. O. Home when three oil paintings depicting the last moments of the battleship Maine were dedicated at Memorial Hall, Columbus, Wednesday night by veterans of the Spanish-American War.

Mrs. Rose Byers, choir leader, was presented with a bouquet. The Home chorus was composed of girls who are orphaned daughters of Spanish-American War soldiers.

The dedicatory address was delivered by Gov. Fred W. Green, of Michigan, commander-in-chief of the veterans.

The oil paintings represent the entrance of the ill-fated battleship into the Havana harbor, the explosion which destroyed it and the work of divers on the bottom salvaging the bodies.

GET DOUBLE HOLIDAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Thousands of federal employes were accorded a double Christmas holiday when President Hoover issued an executive order today, closing all government departments on Dec. 24, the day before Christmas.

SHE WRITES THOSE MONOTYPES



RADIE HARRIS

ARE you reading "Movie Monotypes," the clever little feature about motion picture players recently started in THE GAZETTE?

Miss Radie Harris, above, is the author of this fascinating series for Central Press and this newspaper.

It is said to be the most unusual film feature yet written, because it's snappy, intimate and full of humor! It tells things you never knew before about screen personalities whose faces are familiar to you.

The next "Movie Monotype" is about Richard Dix. Now don't tear up the paper in your anxiety girls—but if you do tear it up, remember Telephone 800 reaches the circulation department and extra copies may be obtained. The line forms on the right.

FINED ON LIQUOR SELLING CHARGE

Adjudged guilty of an affidavit charging him with having sold liquor to Harry Sager, undercover dry agent, James Jackson, colored, E. Church St., was fined $100 and costs by Probate Judge S. C. Wright Wednesday and ordered committed to the County Jail. Jackson had entered a not guilty plea.

Hearing of James Banks, colored, on a similar charge, was also scheduled for Wednesday, but was postponed by Judge Wright until later in the week. Banks had been released from the County Jail to attend the funeral of his father, who died suddenly from heart trouble.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy cheeks—sparkling eyes—most women can have. Dr. F. M. Edwards for 20 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave his patients a substitute for calomel made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients, naming them Dr. Edwards Olive Tablets. Know them by their olive color.

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MARKETS

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Hogs — Receipts, 53,000; market, steady; top, $9.50; bulk, $9@9.45; heavy wt., $9.15@9.50; light weight, $9@9.40; light lights, $8.60@9.35; packing sows, $8@8.60; pigs, $8@9; holdovers 5,000.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,500; market, steady; calves, receipts, 2,000; market, steady; beef steers, good and choice, $13@15; common and medium, $9.50@13.50; yearlings, $10@15.50; butcher cattle: heifers $8@15; cows, $6@10.50; bulls, $8@11; calves, $10@14.50; feeder steers, $9.50@11.75; stocker steers $8.50@11; stocker cows and heifers, $6.50@9.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; market, steady; medium and choice lambs, $12@13.25; culls and common, $9@11.50.

XENIA LIVESTOCK

Heavies	$ 8.35@ 8.50
Mediums	8.60@ 8.75
Lights	8.00@ 8.25
Pigs	8.00@ 8.25
Roughs	7.00@ 7.50

DAYTON LIVESTOCK

HOGS

Receipts, 6 cars; mkt., steady.

Heavies, 275-375 lbs...	$ 8.95@ 9.15
Heavies, 250-275 lbs...	9.15@ 9.35
Mediums, 160-200 lbs..	8.90@ 9.35
Lights, 140-160 lbs....	8.60
Pigs, 140 lbs. down..	7.00@ 8.00
Sows	7.00@ 8.00
Stags	5.00@ 6.00

Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

Top Veal Calves	$14.00
Med. Veal Calves	12.00 down
Best Butcher Steers..	10.50@11.50
Med. Butcher Steers.	9.00@10.00
Best fat heifers	9.50@10.50
Medium heifers	7.00@ 9.00
Bologna Cows	4.00@ 5.00
Medium Cows	5.00@ 6.50
Best Fat Cows	7.00@ 8.00
Bulls	6.50@ 8.50

SHEEP

Receipts, 15 cars; mkt., slow.

Sheep	$ 2.00@ 5.00
Spring lambs	11.00
Spring lambs, No. 2..	10.00 down

PRODUCE

CHICAGO BUTTER

CHICAGO, Dec. 12. — Butter: receipts, 5,659 tubs; creamery extras, 37c; extra firsts, 36@36 1-2c; standards, 37c; specials, 37 1-2@38c; packing stock, 27@29c; firsts, 35@37c.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.—Butter: extra, 37c; standard, 37c; market, weak; eggs: extras, 53c; firsts, 47c; market, steady; heavy fowls, 27c; live poultry: medium fowls, 24c; leghorn fowls, 15@18c; thin springers, 15c; heavy broilers, 23@24c; leghorn broilers, 18c@20c; ducks, 20@22c; geese, 18@20c; old cocks, 18c; turkeys, 28@30c; mkt, weak; apples: Roman Beauties and Baldwins, $1.75@2.25 bu.; potatoes: Ohio and Maine, $3.75@4.50 per 150 lb. sack; cabbage: Ohio best, 85c per basket.

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Eggs, per dozen	58c
Dressed ducks, per pound	30c
1929 Fries, pound	40c
Dressed Turkeys, per lb.	50c

Prices Paid at Plant

Hens, per pound	20c
Leghorn hens	15c
Young geese	15c
Ducks, per pound	15c
Old Roosters, per pound	14c
Colored Fries, 4 lbs. up	18c
Colored Fries, 4 lbs. up	21c
Hen Turkeys, per pound	25c
Young tom turkeys, pound	25c
Leghorn fries, pound	15c
Eggs, per dozen	45c

(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers Ass'n)

Butter, per lb.	45c

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Live Poultry and Eggs

Eggs, per dozen	50c
Springers	20c
Leghorn hens	14c
Leghorn springers	14c
Roosters	12c
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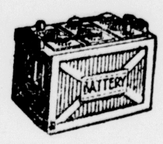
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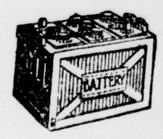
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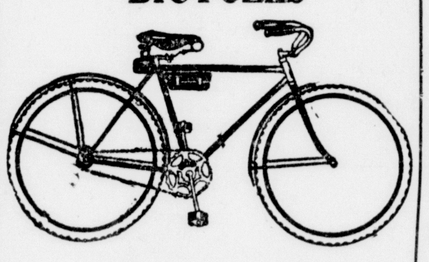
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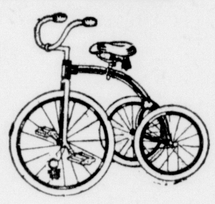


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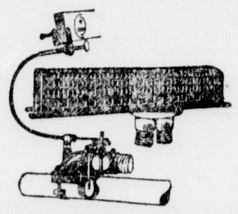
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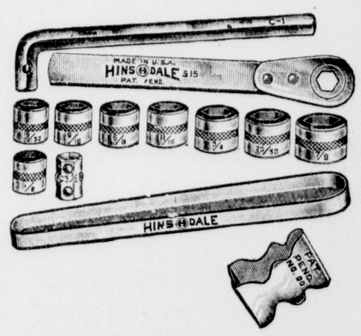
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TELLING the WORLD'S NEWS with PICTURES

New American Venus Bears Official Stamp of Commerce Secretary



Uncle Sam has found his ideal girl. She isn't anyone in particular, but the "Standard Lady" worked out by the United States Bureau of Standards. The accompanying diagram compares "Standard Lady's" figures as compiled by Uncle Sam and the figures which make up a "perfect 36" made famous by Venus (left).

FRIDAY IS HURLEY'S LUCKY DAY



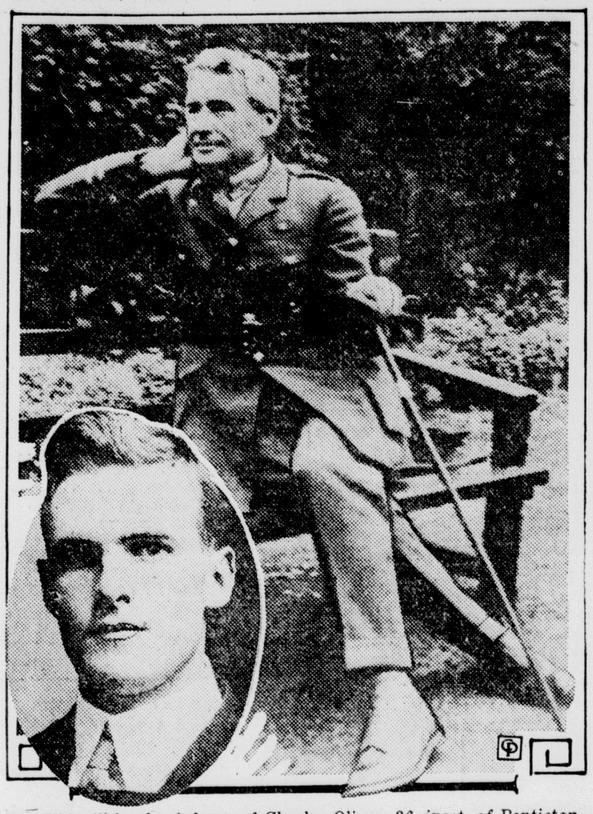
Friday is the lucky day of Patrick J. Hurley, of Tulsa, Okla., named secretary of war by President Hoover to succeed the late James W. Good. He was born on Friday and appointed to the cabinet on Friday. Above, the artist has sketched some of the important events in Hurley's life which took place on Friday.

MAKING-UP THE INDEFINITE TYPE



Each type of woman has a unique charm which must set the keynote of her dressing and make-up, if she is to be supremely effective, says Lucien Lelong. The indefinite type should choose rouges of faded rose and pale coral. Her powder will be naturelle or ivoire rose, brown tones for her eye pencil, and eye shadow of a grayer blue than the color of her eyes. Her manner of applying her make-up must be delicate.

EX-PREMIER'S SON DENIES TARRING



An alibi will be the defense of Charles Oliver, 36, inset, of Penticton, B. C., son of the late Premier John Oliver, who faces trial as one of a party of four men said to have kidnaped and tarred and feathered Dr. B. C. Latimer, above, 64-year-old physician. Dr. Latimer declares he recognized Oliver's voice. Dr. Latimer is alleged to have made overtures to Oliver's wife, who had been his patient. Latimer denies the allegations and alleges Oliver threatened him with death if he did not leave town.

Oil Magnate Tells Jail Experience



Harry F. Sinclair, millionaire oil magnate, tells his impressions of the District of Columbia jail to "Mike," after being released from jail. He had been confined in the prison since May 6th for contempt of the United States Senate and of the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

Self-Styled Czar Offers Royal Decorations For Three Dollars



Grand Duke Cyrill, self-styled Czar of Russia, now with his improvised court at St. Briac, France, who has issued an imperial manifesto offering royal decorations and membership in the Order of St. Nicholas Thaumaturgis for the sum of three dollars. Royal certificates are being distributed to Russians throughout the Western hemisphere by the Grand Duke's agents, in an effort to raise funds for the re-establishment of a Russian monarchy.

Society Songbird Arrives in New York



After a tour of Europe, during which she gave many vocal concerts, Miss Virginia Warren, of Boston, arrived in New York on the S. S. Berengaria. Miss Warren will make her début in Boston society early in December

Sues Millionaire Realtor



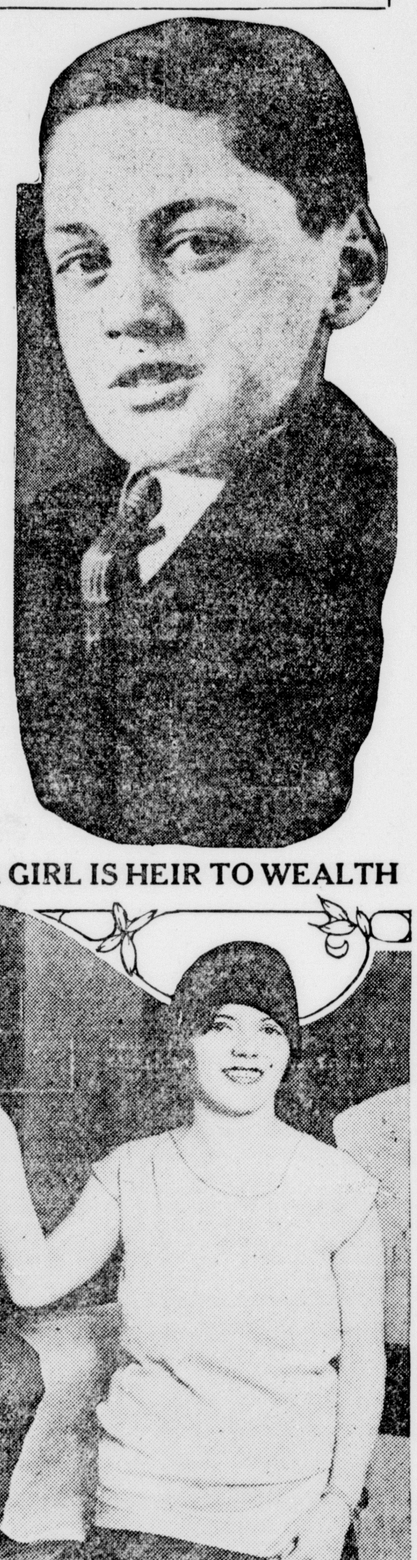
Miss Bertha Cleavenger who has instituted a $750,000 breach of promise suit against John H. Castle, millionaire real estate man of Detroit, Mich.

Husband Charges Personal Indignities in Suit for Divorce



Louise Bryant, well known writer, has been served with papers for divorce by her husband, William C. Bullitt, author and diplomat, in which he charges her with "personal indignities."

Wealthy Broker's Son Kidnaped



Fears that boy has been seized and held for ransom are spurring Otto Scott Estrella, wealthy oil operator, to find son Otto, Jr., 11, missing from No. 615 Washington Ave., New York City, since last Sunday.

WORKING GIRL IS HEIR TO WEALTH



Miss Cecile La Coste, of Los Angeles, who was working as a presser in a dry cleaning establishment a week ago, has been notified that she is heir to $133,000 from the estate of an uncle who died recently in Chicago. She is shown above as she left her pressing table.

Scores Inconsistency Of New Moderns



Ethel Mannin, popular English novelist, scored the "new moderns" who are constantly searching for the unconventional. After a time, she asserts, so many women do the unconventional that it becomes conventional.

Death Set for 13th



Wee Willie (Baby Face) Doody, once described as Chicago's most terrible slayer, sentenced to die Friday, December 13, for fatally shooting Police Chief Charles Levy of Berwyn, Chicago suburb, faces death in trembling fear.

N. Y. Girl Charms Egyptian Prince



The quest for a perfect wife by Prince Mohammed Ali Ibrahim, which led him over three continents, and ended with his marriage to Pearl Ginsberg of New York, is a story book romance. The prince has installed her in a palace in Paris. He spen $1,000,000 on her education.

Aged Cripple Seeks Cure at Shrine



An aged cripple with members of his family at the grave of Father Patrick Power in the Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden, Mass. Thousands are daily flocking to the shrine, seeking cures for their afflictions. Several miraculous cures are reported to have taken place at the grave.

YOUTHS FACE CHAIR FOR KIDNAPING



Two boys of respected Iowa families, Charles Egbert, left, and Keith Helme, right, both 20, await trial, at Omaha, on charges of kidnaping, which carries the penalty of electrocution in Nebraska, in connection with the kidnaping, assault and injuring of Marie Panek, maid in an Omaha home. County Attorney Henry Beal asserts the boys attacked the girl after she had accepted their invitation to escort her home from a church dance. He declares the boys were "crazy drunk from bootleg whiskey."

Former Byrd Aide at Work In Nebraska Newspaper Office



Richard G. Brophy at his desk in the editorial rooms of a Nebraska newspaper, where he was known as Charles Manning Mitchell. Brophy was associated with the Byrd Expedition. A "suicide" note found in a Coney Island bathhouse caused it to be universally believed that he had committed suicide. On his identity being made known, he set out apparently for New York City to join his wife and son. To date he has not arrived in the metropolis.

POSTPONE TRIAL'S GROWING OUT OF DOG TRACK OPERATION HERE

Jury trials of three of the principal promoters of the Fairfield Amusement Park, Ltd., on gambling charges growing out of raids last July 26 by county authorities on the dog racing plant at Fairfield, assigned to begin in Common Pleas Court December 18, have been continued until later in the month on application of defense counsel, it was disclosed Wednesday.

Trial of Charles R. Fay, Middletown, chairman of the board of directors of the partnership organization, was assigned for December 18 but has been postponed until December 30. Originally fixed for December 19 and 20, trials of C. G. Wantz, Fairfield, a principal stockholder, and G. W. Heintz, Hamilton, builder of the track and its former general manager, will follow that of Fay.

Affidavits filed against the trio by Prosecutor J. Carl Marshall, and to which each promoter pleaded not guilty when arraigned, charge them with keeping a gambling place and permitting sale of pools on dog races.

Defense attorneys sought postponement of the trials, it is said, because Heintz must appear in court at New Orleans December 20 to answer to a charge of contempt of court filed against him for alleged violation of an injunction against the operation of mechanical rabbits used as a "lure" at dog tracks. Heintz is the inventor of the mechanical rabbit, now used extensively at dog tracks throughout the United States and foreign countries.

VACCINATE PUPILS AFTER SMALLPOX IS FOUND PREVALENT

Precautions taken by Dr. R. H. Grube, Greene County health commissioner, in personally vaccinating about thirty children enrolled in the one-room grade school at White Chapel, off the Stone Road, in the Xenia Twp. school district, prevented a possible smallpox epidemic this week, it became known Wednesday.

Dr. Grube disclosed that a family named Butts in the township is under quarantine and that five or six members of the family including children and their parents, contracted the disease in a mild form from a nephew living in Cincinnati, who was visiting at their home.

The children attended the grade school Monday and all of the other pupils were exposed to the infection, which was at first diagnosed as chicken pox.

Dr. Grube was summoned and ordered all of the children to return home immediately after school and not return unless their parents were willing for them to be inoculated.

Every child re-appeared at school Tuesday morning and was vaccinated by the health commissioner. Four pupils were re-vaccinated.

The disease contracted by the Butts family was not the malignant form of small pox and their condition is not reported as serious. No other cases were reported among pupils of the school after the vaccination precaution was taken.

Eleanor Babb is teacher at the school.

CHRISTMAS SACRED MUSICAL AT CHURCH HERE NEXT SUNDAY

The vested chorus choir of the Presbyterian Church will give the first Christmas sacred musical of the season next Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The choir will sing "King All Glorious" of Roy E. Nolte.

Following is the program of the evening:

Prelude—
"The Holy Night" -- Dudley Buck
Devotional period --- Rev. Tilford
Offertory—
"Christmas" ---------- Hofmer
"King All Glorious"
"Sing, O Heavens" ------ Chorus
"Behold, The Morning Cometh" ---------- Solo
Miss Ruth Alexander
"Unto Us a Child is Born" Chorus
"Calm on the Listening Ear." ---------- Tenor Solo
Mr. Ralph Baldner
"And In The Country of Judea" ---------- Bass Solo
Mr. Raymond Shoemaker
"Star of Bethlehem" ------- Duet
Miss Zella Soward and Mrs. Wm. H. Tilford
"Behold, There Came Wise Men" ---------- Men's Chorus
"O'er Manger Bed" --------- Solo
Mrs. Wm. H. Tilford
"List to the Message" ---- Chorus
"All Who Believe" --------- Solo
Mrs. Arthur Perrill
"All Hail the King of Glory" ---------- Chorus
"A Wondrous Song" Women's ---------- Chorus
"Joy To The World."
Benediction
Postlude—
"Hosanna" ---------- Diggle
Mrs. Pearl Armstrong -- Director
Mrs. Wm. Anderson ---- Organist

URBANA YOUTH SHOT, WHILE ATTEMPTING THEFT OF GASOLINE

URBANA, O., Dec. 12.— Frank Stevenson, 22, was shot and probably fatally wounded early today when he and a companion were interrupted in the alleged act of stealing gasoline from an automobile which was parked in front of the residence of Marshal Samuel Rcheson at St. Paris, a small town west of here.

The noise which the two youths made awakened the marshal and he and a relative, Leslie Lykin, crept downstairs. Richeson was armed with a revolver and Lyken carried a shotgun.

They cried to the alleged robbers to surrender. Both, according to the report, started to flee.

Lykin opened fire and a shotgun charge tore away part of Stevenson's back and side. Stevenson's companion escaped.

The wounded youth was rushed to the county hospital here and physicians there said that it would only be a matter of hours until he died.

Stevenson's companion, according to Marshal Richeson, is believed to be Fritz Barney, 22, formerly of Dayton.

Police are searching for him for questioning.

EAST END NEWS

The Church Aid Society of the Middle Run Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Nannie Hart, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Frederick Cosby is on the sick list.

HOST AT DINNER



H. L. BINDER

H. L. Binder was host Wednesday night when he entertained members of the Xenia Retail Merchants Association at dinner at the Elk's Club. Forty members of the organization were his guests at dinner at which Virginia baked ham was the principal feature of the menu. Mr. Binder, city commissioner-elect, is a past president of the organization.

ZELL GIVEN PRAISE AS MERCHANTS DINE AS BINDER GUESTS

The Xenia Retail Merchants Association, at a dinner meeting at the Elk's Club Wednesday night, placed the stamp of approval on City Auditor T. H. Zell when his name was mentioned in connection with possible changes at City Hall after January 1, when a new commission takes office.

H. L. Binder, commissioner-elect and past president of the association, was host at the dinner, which was followed by a number of informal talks in which the merchants discussed Christmas plans and the question of city administration changes was brought up. The meeting, when the name of Mr. Zell was mentioned, developed into a testimonial session with members endorsing by applause, his possible promotion in the city administration.

Mr. Binder, in his address, expressed a desire to co-operate with business men and pledged his support of any project favored by the merchants for the betterment of the city. He suggested the appointment of a committee of business men to meet with city commission and interest themselves in activities of that group.

I. Friedman, president of the association, presided at the meeting.

DAYTON POLICEMAN AMONG HUNTERS WHO WERE GIVEN FINES

Five Dayton hunters, including a policeman, were each fined $10 and costs by R. O. Copsey, Xenia Twp. justice of the peace, Thursday morning when they pleaded guilty to charges of hunting on the farm of Fremont Miars, Spring Valley, without the owner's permission.

Those fined were: W. J. Wolf, 407 Clover St., member of the Dayton police department assigned to night duty; Edward Burk, 579 N. Main St., a student; Carl Norman, 319 Linwood St.; H. L. Burk, 519 N. Main St., and Forrest Blackburn, 215 Linwood St.

The arrests were made Thursday morning by Ernest Harner, Greene County game warden, upon the request of Miars, who had placed "no-trespassing" signs at conspicuous points on his farm.

The Dayton hunters had bagged several rabbits before they were taken into custody.

Stagg Heads Coaches



Amos Alonzo Stagg of the University of Chicago, elected president of the Western Conference Football Coaches' association, is again the conference's representative on the national football rules committee

FORMER XENIAN IS WINNER IN COURTS

The state supreme court decided Wednesday in favor of Mrs. Marguerite Parrish, Dayton, formerly of Xenia, in her suit to prevent the erection of a residence in Bryn Mawr, a suburb, which she claimed did not comply with restrictions, limiting cost of buildings to a minimum of $15,000 and certain restrictions as to distance the house is to be set back from the street.

Her suit was brought against the Bryn Mawr Realty Co., the Wisteria Development Co., which had purchased the lot from the former, and the Dayton Construction Co., which was under contract to build the house. She had won in the lower courts in Montgomery County also.

Mrs. Parrish is the wife of Rial T. Parrish and she was before marriage Miss Marguerite Weddle, Xenia.

THE PICTURE QUIZ

By H. L. Sayre



This man said, "I am not a Virginian—I am an American."

QUESTIONS

1. Who is he?
2. What important nomination did he decline from Washington?
3. What state was he the first governor of?
4. What famous words of his are often quoted?
5. What is he most noted as?

ANSWERS

1—Patrick Henry. 2—Secretary of State. 3—Virginia. 4—"Give me liberty or give me death." 5—As an orator.

SAYRE'S DRUG STORE

8 South Detroit St.

Let your motto be: "Give me life in full measure." We'll help. Supplies to help your children with their school and home work. First aids to relieve pain and prevent infection. Second aids to help develop love and devotion.

ECZEMA IS ONLY SKIN DEEP and we honestly believe CRANOLENE, the Cranberry Cream, will heal any case of Eczema, or other skin trouble. Come in and let us tell you about it. Use a $1 jar, and if you are dissatisfied your money will be refunded.

GIFT Suggestions

Electric Goods

Percolators, 8 cup $3.75
4 cup $2.89
Waffle Iron, Jr. $4.98
Waffle Iron $7.98
Flatirons, 6 lb. $2.98
Flatirons, 6 lb. Thermostat Control Plug $3.98
Curling Irons $1.98
All Electric Goods guaranteed by the makers and by us.

SPECIAL—Our entire stock of beautiful Walking and Talking Dolls at 25% discount.

Parker and Shaffer Fountain Pens. A large assortment to choose from. Pen and Pencil Sets.

We engrave any name desired on pens and pencils bought from us, FREE of charge.

Cook's Guaranteed Leather Goods. See the new size purse for the new size bills. Pyralin Toilet Sets. Perfume Sets. See the New and Exclusive Sheri Compacts. Only sold by us.

Beautiful Perfume Atomizers, 50c to $15.00.

Manicure Sets from 98c to $12.00.



YES THERE IS A

Santa Claus

And he is making his headquarters at our store handing out to satisfied customers those wonderful gifts of Christmas Jewelry which we have placed on sale on account of our MOVING, Jan. 1.

Are They Satisfied?

JUST ASK ANY OF THEM

Look This List Over

Elgin Wrist Watches $25 up.	Cuff Links
Elgin Strap Watches $15 up.	Necklaces
(Regular Prices)	Swiss Wrists
Diamond Rings	Swiss Straps
Diamond Mountings	Watch Bands
Colored Stone Rings	Brooches
Lodge Rings	Pearl Beads
Double Head Cameo Rings	Clocks
Vanities	Electric Clocks
Meeker Made Leather Goods	Chime Clocks
Rogers Silverware	Alarm Clocks
	Cigar Lighters
	Silver Holloware
	Pewter

Most Of The Above Can Be Had At A Saving Of 1-3 To 1-2

FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO

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18 S. Detroit Xenia, O.

Jeweler And Optometrist

McMILLAN'S Quitting Business FURNITURE SALE

Is still going on and the crowds are still packing our store—thousands of dollars worth of high grade furniture and merchandise have b een sold but our stocks still offer you a selection to choose from. Never again will you buy at such bargain prices—people of Greene and surrounding Counties that have the cash are surely profiting by this great sale. Hurry before everything is gone—your money never went farther when invested in furniture before.

$28.80 Coxwell Chairs — Large, roomy button back chairs, covered in mohair and multi-colored jacquard velour with reverse cushions.

$6.95 Occasional Tables — Beautiful walnut grained tables, all kinds, tilt tops, gate legs, ovals, etc., the price range is $6.95 to $21.00.

$12.95 Lamps — A special grouping of high grade lamps at this price make them most desirable bargains. Other bridge, table and floor lamps for less.

$3.25 Mirrors — Buffet and console mirrors, all sizes and kinds, with polychrome and mahogany frames, the price range is from $3.25 up.

$69.00 Parlor Furnaces — This nationally advertised parlor furnace is supposed to sell at a hundred dollars, but our stocks were heavy and they must sell regardless of cost, others as low as $26.00.

$10.95 Radiant Heaters — A large size heater with burnished metal finish and five double radiants, only four left to sell.

OVERSTUFFED SUITES $79.50

$79.50

Three piece multi-colored jacquard velour overstuffed suites, Davenport, Club Chair and Straight Chair, a regular $125.00 value.

$14.50 Gas Ranges — Only four left to sell. $29.00 value for ....$14.50; $40.00 value for ....$19.00; $60.00 value for ....$22.50; $63.00 value for $24.00

$87.00 Radios — Atwater Kent all electric radio complete in cabinet with speaker and tubes, a late model and regular $135.00 value.

Children's — $3.00 High Chairs...$1.95; $3.00 Rockers .....$1.50; $5.25 Play Sets .....$3.90; $20.00 Cribs $4.95

$2.95 Small Rugs — Size 27x52. A selection of Axm. and Velvets, regular $3.75 values and up.

500 SUNBURST PILLOWS — VELOUR, MOHAIR, TAPESTRY — Regular $1.00 To $3.00 — **69c**

BED ROOM SUITE $87.00 — Three piece genuine 5-ply walnut Bed Room Suites of guaranteed construction. Bed, French Vanity and Chest a regular $140.00 value.

DINING ROOM SUITE **$79.50** — Eight piece dining room suites, guaranteed construction, 5-ply walnut veneered Table, Buffet and six Chairs. A regular $125.00 value.

49c Sq. Yd. Floor Covering — Genuine Congoleum Gold Seal Floor Covering, only two rolls left to sell of this grade and both are good patterns.

$2.95 Bed Springs — Fabric Bed Springs for wood and iron beds, full size and single, a regular $6.00 Bed Spring.

$6.50 Metal Beds — A few full size and single beds in popular finishes They won't last long.

$7.95 Mattresses — A full size combination felt and cotton mattress in good art tick, just a few left.

McMillan's Furniture Store

CEDARVILLE, OHIO

WILLIAM WISECUP CLAIMED BY DEATH

Following an illness of two years, William E. Wisecup, 39, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wisecup, 255 S. West St., at 2:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

He was born in Adams County April 24, 1890 and was a veteran of the World War, being a member of the Fourth training battalion, sixteenth company, 158th brigade, of the regular U. S. army.

Surviving besides his parents is his widow, Laura; four children, Osie Elizabeth, Mildred, Calvin and William; and the following brothers and sisters, Charles and Dewey, Xenia, Fred and Johnny, at home, and Mrs. Etta Yee. Another brother, Edward, preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 3:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon with burial in Woodland Cemetery.

JAIL BREAK PLOT FOILED BY GUARDS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Six desperate prisoners were held in solitary confinement today after a leaking water pipe betrayed a plot by which the men planned to fight their way out of the city jail here.

While investigating the leak accidentally caused in their cell by one of the prisoners, a guard discovered five murderous bludgeons fashioned from sashweights.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The chemistry I classes of Central High are organizing a Chemistry Club. Mr. Cranor, chemistry teacher, appointed a committee of four from each class to draw up a constitution for the two classes. These students prepared a constitution that was accepted by both classes without any changes. The club name was not chosen but was left to the students of each class. The idea of the club is to further the chemistry movement in Central High. Through a club, outside aid may be procured along with some very interesting trips to different factories and concerns.

The officers of the two classes were chosen Wednesday morning. The officers of the first period class are as follows: president, Edwin Bath; vice president, Betty Lorimer; secretary-treasurer, Lois Spahr. The president at once appointed some committees. The program committee consists of Chas. Adair, Mary Hayward and Mr. Cranor and the name committee is composed of Robert Kinsey, Dorothy Lunsford and Bernice Bath.

The officers elected in the second period class were: president, Elwood Shafer; vice president, Merton Leinberger; secretary-treasurer, Anita H. Cherry. Marvin Spahr, Virginia Guyton and Frances Beal were appointed on the program committee. M. Leinberger, Mary Eleanor Ford and Joe Smittle were chosen on the exam committee. The first regular meeting of the club will be held on Friday, December 20, 1929. All following meetings will be held every three weeks.

The sophomore class held a

A WAY TO STOP ATTACKS OF FITS

Reports are received of an amazing treatment that epileptics state has proved successful in stopping their attacks. R. Lepso, Apt. 62, Island Ave., Milwaukee, Wisc., has been supplying sufferers with this treatment. He now wishes to reach all those who have not been helped and to do so is making the startling offer of a generous treatment free to all sufferers. Anyone afflicted should write for this free treatment at once, giving age. —Adv.

Clara Bow and Harry Richman Coming East to Marry in New York



Clara Bow, fiery redhead of the motion pictures and fiance of Harry Richman, night club favorite, will assume the yoke of connubial bliss in New York on New Year's Day. Miss Bow is convalescing in a Los Angeles hospital from after-effects of an old appendicitis operation.

at the close of the activity period and realized a near sum from its efforts. It was the first doughnut sale that was ever held during school hours. The idea met with the approval of most of the students and will perhaps be tried again in the future.

The Hi Y Club held its first luncheon Monday noon and a very enjoyable meeting followed. These luncheons will be held every other week for the remainder of the year. Two honor guests attended the first noon affair. The guests were Professors Hammerle and Woodruff, superintendent and principal respectively. Both gave very interesting talks on school work and the work of the Hi Y in Central and community. Mr. Hammerle spoke on the "Honor and Morals" of students in the school. Mr. Woodruff spoke highly of the "Deeds of Hi Y Club". He pointed out that the members had been following out the school officials ideas and hoped they would continue to do so in the future. Harold Bull gave a short talk on the "Good Coming From a Hi Y Club". Mr. Miller led in the discussion period and many interesting phases of life were discussed. Mr. Wilson was appointed to lead in the discussion next Monday night.

The teachers of Central seem to be having their troubles this year. Quite a number of the teachers have been sick at some time or other this year and now we find Coach Wilson among the sick list. Mr. Wilson is absent for a day or two with an attack of the grip.

With the opening date for the day night, the students are beginning to rush the box office for season tickets. Students as well as older patrons are able to make quite a saving by purchasing season tickets. Students' tickets are selling for $1.50 and are going quite rapidly, according to Mr. O. B. Bogart, faculty manager of athletics. The two new rows of seats downstairs are completed and should add quite a good deal to the seating capacity, though the playing floor had to be narrowed somewhat.

The senior girls gave two interesting short plays Wednesday during the activity period to the students of Central only. "A Crafty Crook" was the title of the first play with Jean Marshall playing the leading role. Ten girls took part in this play and very capably filled their parts. In the second play, "Mrs. Rushington's Rest Cure", Donna Harness played the leading part and was assisted by eight other girls. Both comedies were directed by Helen LeSourd and Sara Davidson, senior girls. An admission of ten cents was charged.

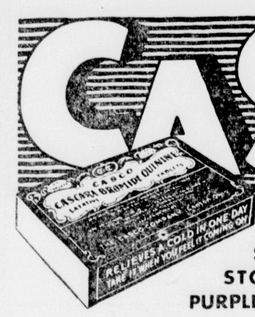
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The Greene County Medical Society is taking this means of calling the attention of the public to the fact that several cases of undulant fever have been reported in this county, traceable to the use of raw milk.

Undulant or Malta fever is a serious, long drawn out, wasting disease, for which no cure or treatment has been found.

As prevention is the only means of combatting this disease, the public is urged to demand and use pasteurized milk exclusively.

Marshall M. Best,
Secretary.



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I've Never Felt Better In My Life

And I'm going to stick to it! I never realized what plenty of milk could do for a person till I needed it myself. Of course it had to be Pasteurized and T. B. tested, so we just called

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Gifts in whose enjoyment the entire family will share! Gifts that will grow old in service! A gift for a loved one! A gift for a favorite! a gift that will bear your message of love long after the happiness of Christmas itself is merely a memory. Such a gift is a gift of furniture. With it . . . and with your love . . . you present not only the gift itself . . . but joy, beauty and comfort . . . the joy of receiving a gift, the beauty that it represents, and the everlasting comfort that it conveys.

GIVE FURNITURE IF YOU WOULD HAVE YOUR GIFT BEAR YOUR MESSAGE THE YEAR ROUND

Here Are a Few of Our Suggestions

Occasional Tables $9.75 to $35
Gov. Winthrop Desk $59
Nest of Tables, (solid mahogany) $22
Sewing Tables ..$3.98 to $15
Occasional Chairs $9.75 to $35
Cedar Chests ..$11.75 to $38
Tea Wagons .....$24 to $33
Bird Cages .....$3.50 to $8.50
3 Pc. Living Room Suites at .....$72 to $250
Majestic Radios $137.50 to $167.50
Beauty Rest Mattress $39.75
Gate Leg Tables .....$16 to $28
Smoking Cabinets .....$1.25 to $15
Buffet Mirrors .....$6.50 to $25
Davenport Tables $9.50 to $24
End Tables .....$1.39 to $18
Pier Cabinet $16.50
Telephone Stands $4.75 to $15
Junior Lamps ..$5.75 to $29
Bridge Lamps ..$4.95 to $25
Console Tables ..$4.95 to $20
Spinet Desks .....$29 to $45
Bridge Sets $24
Love Seats $98
Breakfast Sets .....$22 to $48
Kitchen Cabinets .....$33 to $75
Quick Meal Gas Range $42 to $195
Fancy Pillows .....98c to $3.75
Magazine Baskets ..$2.98 to $7.50

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Here is something that brings joy to each individual and at the same time brings new comfort and beauty into the home which every member of the family can share!

CHOOSE FROM THE GREATEST ARRAY OF CHRISTMAS VALUES IN XENIA'S HISTORY!

For months Xenia furniture buyers have been searching the markets for the unusual in Christmas merchandise. Come and see how successful we have been in securing the largest variety of new merchandise and the greatest values we have ever had the pleasure of offering Christmas shoppers. Your visit to the furniture stores places you under no obligations to purchase, but we know that once you see the beautiful selection of sensible furniture gifts offered, you will appreciate the logic of the phrase "THIS CHRISTMAS GIVE FURNITURE."

A gift to the home is a gift to all and it is a gift that keeps on giving throughout the year.

May we suggest an easy chair for Dad, to give rest to weary nerves; a charming occasional table, to add a touch of hominess or lamps with attractive shades. In fact to try to list them would be almost an endless task, so we will just extend a cordial invitation to everyone to visit Xenia's furniture stores and allow them to assist you in making selections of enduring gifts.



XENIA Furniture stores will be glad to assist you in your Christmas shopping by cashing your Christmas savings check.

IT is not necessary for you to make purchases in order to have your savings check cashed. We will welcome your visit to our stores.



MODERNISTIC ART; ARE NOW SOPHISTICATED



Christmas greeting cards this year register the influence of modernistic art. Here are a few designs.

By Central Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Variety is the keynote of the 1929 Christmas greeting cards, but all register unmistakably the influence of modernistic art to an unprecedented extent. The old, old Christmas symbols are there, of course—in fact this year they seem to have espoused Couelsm, so unmistakably are they growing better and better, but they insist that we should not be misled into considering them old fashioned. Not at all. They are in fact intriguingly mondaine in a newly sophisticated use of brighter colors, striking backgrounds, and more boldly defined designs.

Characteristic old English and New England views, for instance, keep in step with fashion with subtle touches of novelty in drawing and coloring, and those good old standbys, Santa Claus and his reindeer, not to mention the festive candles and trees without which no December 25th is worthy of the name. All present a certain spontaneity and freshness directly traceable to the new note in current art.

For the real devotees of modernism there are interpretive designs of cubes and triangles and rectilinear reindeer and what not. For those who think a card showing two red circles to designate the season's jovial patron saint is going a bit far, and who want the same old spirit expressed as usual—only differently—the new art provides bigger and brighter reproductions of the familiar favorite motifs. Even at that modernism winks at the spirit of Christmas and slips one over by lining the envelopes with multi-hued fantasies of geometric color.

The more formal and dignified cards never before have sounded such a high note of real artistry, due to the increasing vogue for retaining such cards for framing or other decorative uses. Conspicuous are the signed etchings, many of which are hand-colored, and which include works of well-known artists. A number of reproductions of old masterpieces also are displayed, often set off by the moyen-age illuminated parchments, and Biblical scenes, notably the Three Wise Men or the star of Bethlehem, form the basis for several lovely designs.

Children have received special consideration in the matter of appropriate cards for them to send and receive. Tumbling clowns and military wooden soldiers, toys and animals in endless array promise that the juvenile holiday mail is going to be as fascinating to Johnny and Mary as the toys in the Christmas stocking.

Bishop Cannon's Son Escapes Jail Dinner Thanksgiving Day



Major R. B. Cannon, who states that he is the son of Bishop James Cannon, Jr., of the Methodist Church South, was about to sit down to a Thanksgiving dinner behind the bars of a Los Angeles prison when he gained his freedom. His trouble arose from wage claims filed against him which landed him in jail.

OPERATING SLOT MACHINES

Renewing their campaign to rid Greene County of slot machines, county authorities confiscated five of the machines and cited the owners of three places of business to appear in Probate Court at 2:30 p. m. Thursday to answer to affidavits charging them with keeping gambling machines.

Those cited to appear in court are: Nora Duellman, proprietress of Rest Haven Park, Dayton Pike; Hugh Marshall, operator of a filling station on the Dayton Pike near Beavercreek High School, and C. L. Monnett, said to be the owner of Woodlawn Inn, a combination filling station and refreshment stand on the Springfield Pike, near Yellow Springs. Monnett, authorities say, denied ownership of the one slot machine found at the Woodland Inn.

Two slot machines were taken at Rest Haven Park and two at Marshall's filling station.

Deputy Sheriff George Sugden and L. A. Davis, county road patrolman, who confiscated the machines and issued the citations, reported these were the only devices found in operation when they made a tour of the county Wednesday afternoon. The machines were taken to the sheriff's office.

The latest drive directed against slot machines revives a similar campaign inaugurated about four months ago by Prescutor J. Carl Marshall, who served notice, through the sheriff's office, that the operation of all such devices in the county must be discontinued.

Owners of places of business in which slot machines were permitted were given three days in which to remove the devices. After the deadline date, authorities made a tour of the county and found the ultimatum had been complied with. As a result no machines were confiscated and no arrests were made at that time.

Investigation made recently by the sheriff's office, however, disclosed that owners of a number of places of business in various parts of the county had again installed the machines, according to Sheriff Ohmer Tate.

RAY COX

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First regular meeting of the newly-organized Avio Club of America, composed of about 100 Boy Scouts of Greene County, scheduled for Friday night at the Xenia Flying School headquarters at the Robbins and Myers, Inc., plant on Home Ave., will be held at 6 o'clock instead of 7:30 o'clock, it is announced. The meeting is expected to be over by 8 o'clock, enabling the boys to attend the Xenia Central-Waynesville basketball game.

Children's Colds

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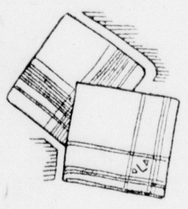
Tom and Dick—The Tire Boys

Phone 533 for Road Service

"Naught Can Compare With Gifts To Wear"

Useful Gifts That Men Appreciate

Every gift from The Criterion for a man or boy will please him for it bears the stamp of quality. Again we urge you to come in early while the selection of gifts is at its best. We mention below just a few of the many suitable and useful gifts.



MEN'S AND BOYS' HANDKERCHIEFS

A wide variety of plain or fancy handkerchiefs in linen or silk.

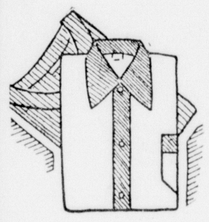
10c to $1.00 each

DRESS HOSE

Men's silk and wool, Cashmere, fine lisle or pure silk in plain or fancy numbers.

25c to $1.50





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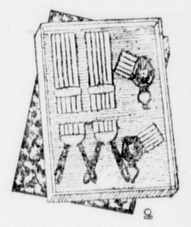
Of fine broadcloths and madras. Large assortment of snappy patterns and plain colors.

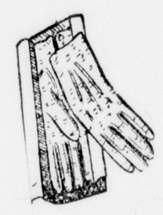
$2 to $5

SUSPENDER AND GARTER SETS

in attractive gift boxes. Just the thing for father, son or brother. Beautiful sets from

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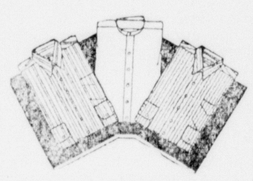
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WLW:
6:00—Temperature reports.
6:00—Willsey's Orchestra.
6:30—Theis' Orchestra.
7:00—Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce program.
7:15—Tony's Scrap Book.
7:30—The Story of An Opera.
8:00—Lehn and Fink Serenade.
8:30—Champion Sparkers.
9:00—Billiken Troupers.
9:30—Maxwell House Concert.
10:00—Hollingsworth Hall.
10:30—Henry Fillmore and His Band.
11:00—Maids of Melody.
11:20—Tony's Scrap Book.
11:30—Los Amigos—The Friends.
12:00 Mid.—Bernie Cummins and His Orchestra at Hotel Gibson.
12:30 a. m.—Andy Mansfield and Virginia Lee.
1:00—Theis' Orchestra.

WCKY:
7:01 p. m.—Dance orchestra.
7:20—Sports Review.
7:30—Studio feature.
9:00—Smith Brothers.
9:30 — Cincinnati Christian Glee Club.
10:00—Atwater Kent program.

WKRC:
6:00—The Big Store Santa Claus.
6:30—Mayor Christmas Carolers.
7:00—Tommie and Willie.
7:30—Five program suggestions.
7:32—Health Talk.
7:40—Adolph and Otto.
8:00—Levitow's Ensemble.
8:15—Political Situation in Washington Tonight.
8:30—Lights of Broadway.
9:00—True Detective Mysteries.
9:30—Around the Samovar.
10:00—Temple Hour.
10:30—National Forum from Washington.
11:02—Kling's Orchestra.
11:30—Orchestra.

WSAI:
7:00—French-Bauer Trio.
7:30—Mell and Dell, Melodious Delvings.
8:00—Fleischmann hour.
9:00—Seiberling Singers.
9:30—Jack Frost's Melody Moments.
10:00—Radio Victor.

FRIDAY

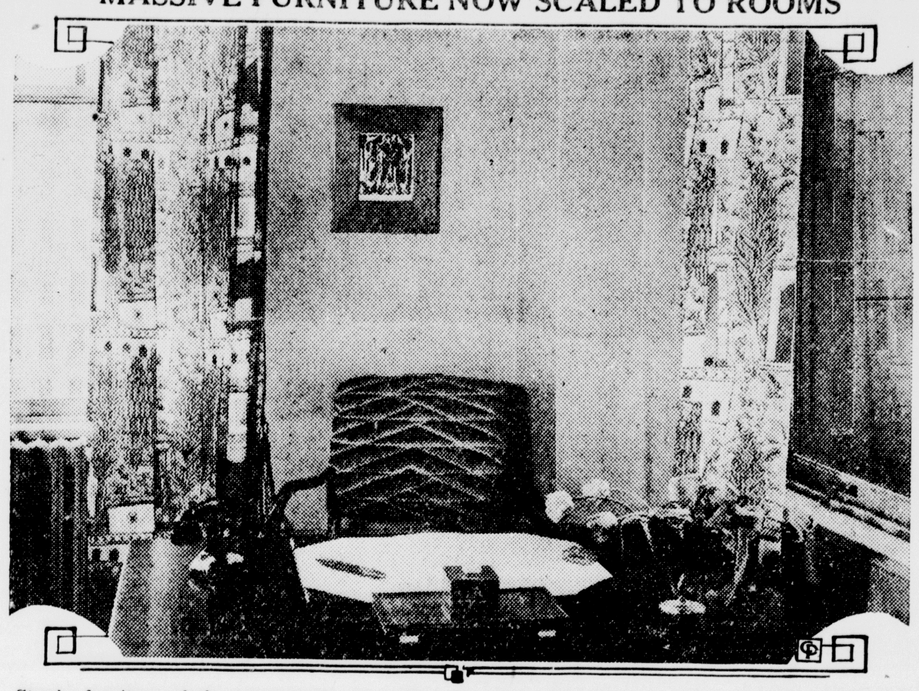
WCKY:
8:00 a. m.—Piano and organ recital.
8:15—Morning devotions.
8:30—Cheerio.
9:00—Morning melodies.
9:30—My New Kentucky Home.
10:01—Kentucky Belle Melodies.
10:15—Kentucky Merchants' hour.
10:45—Heinz program.
7:01 p. m.—Ferman Freie Presse.
7:30—Studio feature.
9:01—Murdock-Williams.
9:30—Philco Theater Memories.
10:00—Wrestling matches, Music Hall.

WSAI:
9:50 a. m.—Livestock reports.
10:30—National Home hour.
11:00—Music Appreciation Hour.
[illegible] p. m.—Organ program.
7:20—Cincinnati Better Business Bureau talk.
7:30—Behind the Footlights.
8:00—Cities Service concert orchestra.
9:00—Harbor Lights.
9:30—Schradertown Band.
10:00—Planters Pickers.

WKRC:
8:45 a. m.—Sears-Roebuck Shopping program.
9:15—Freed Frolic.
9:45—Fashion Talk.
10:00—National Radio Homemakers' Club.
10:30—The Homekeepers.
11:00—Nell Vinick.
11:15—Rosebud Menus.
11:25—Recipe period.
11:30—Health Talk.
12:00 Noon—Hair Beauty.
12:15 p. m.—F. D. Lawrence Melodies.
12:30—Yoeng's Orchestra.
1:00—United Radio Matinee.
1:30—Savoy Plaza Orchestra.
2:00—Noelcke program.
2:30—Patterns in Print.
3:00—Krauss Bridge Tea program.
3:30—For Your Information.
4:00—Zenith Harmonies.
4:30—Club Plaza Orchestra.
5:00—Dr. Thatcher Clark's French lesson.
5:15—Max Wocher program.
5:35—Youngerman's Cozy Homes.
5:40—Orpheum program.
5:55—Thumbnail Sport Sketches.
6:00—Santa Claus.
6:30—Mayor Christmas Carolers.
7:00—Tommie and Willie.
7:30—Five Program Suggestions.
7:32—Health Talk.
7:40—Adolph and Otto.
8:00—Brown-Bilt Footlights.
8:[illegible]—Eversharp Penmen.
9:00—True Story Hour.
10:30—Curtis Institute of Music program.
11:02—Kling's Orchestra.
11:30—Lyman's Orchestra.

WLW:
6:30 a. m.—Top O' the Morning.
7:30—Organ program.
8:00—Morning exercises.
8:30—Devotions.
9:00—Woman's hour with musicale
10:00—Vocal solos.
10:15—We Fashionables.
10:40—Financial talk.
11:00—Music appreciation hour.
12:00 Noon—Early and Daniel program.
12:15 p. m.—Organ program.
12:30—Cummins' Orchestra.
1:00—National farm and home period.
1:45—Town and country.
2:00—Central States School of the Air.
3:00—The matinee players.
4:00—Pacific Little Symphony.
5:00—Ten time tunes.
5:40—Marucci Trio.
5:50—Lucky Sambo.
6:00—Temperature report.
6:00—Theis Orchestra.
6:30—Uncle Don.
7:00—The Art and Science of the Potter.
7:15—Tony's Scrap Book.
7:30—Dixie Circus Series.
8:00—Triadors.
8:30—Doctor Wifco.
8:45—Famous loves.
9:00—Interwoven Entertainers.
9:30—Heatrolatown.
10:00—Armstrong Quakers.
10:30—Armour program.
11:00—Time announcement.
11:00—Hall Duo.
11:20—Tony's Scrap Book.
11:30—Crosley Burnt Corkers.

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Leather heels for women's shoes are now being manufactured on a small scale by The Krippendorf-Dittman Co., S. Detroit St., reviving an operation that was discontinued at the Xenia shoe factory about twenty years ago.

A one-story brick building in the rear of the plant, previously used for storage purposes, was fitted up for the new purpose and necessary equipment was installed.

The additional operation is furnishing employment to three workers at present but eventually about ten persons are expected to be employed at turning out heels. The capacity per day is 1,000 pairs of heels.

Announcement was made that the company decided to make leather heels for its own use because of the difficulty in obtaining heels of the right grade and good quality in this section of the country. Previously the company purchased its supplies of heels.

Eventually production is expected to be increased to a point where the plant will also sell leather heels to other shoe manufacturers.

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Bay Gelding, 12 years old. Brown Mare, 12. Black Gelding, 4. Black Gelding, 3. These last two are broken to work.

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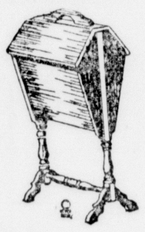
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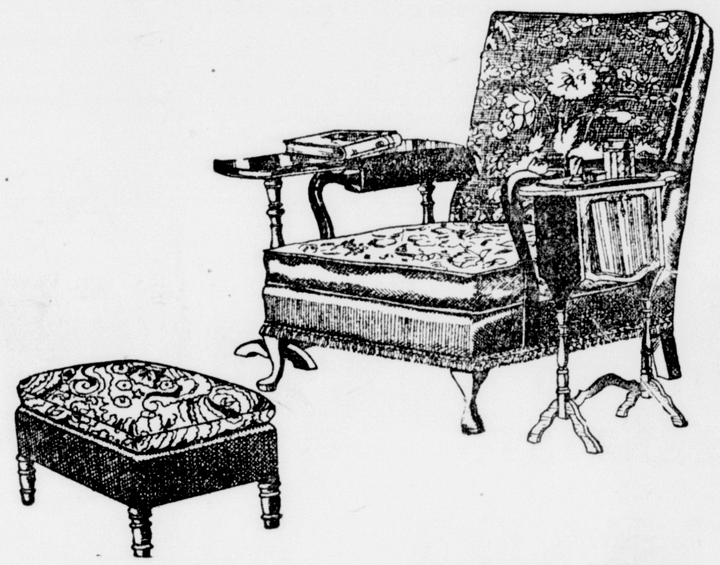
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For Christmas Morning

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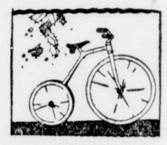
Large Roomy Chairs upholstered in fine Tapestry or velour $32.50

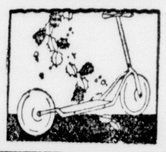
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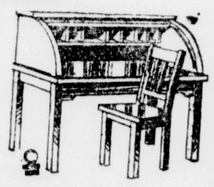
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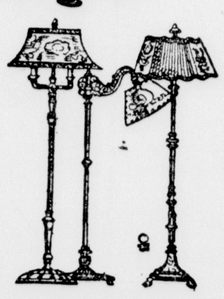
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PULL UP CHAIRS

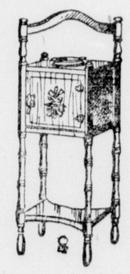


Attractive Chairs upholstered in long wearing tapestries and velours.

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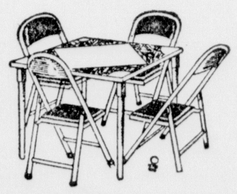
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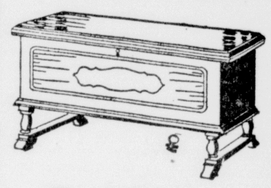
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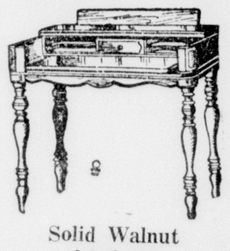
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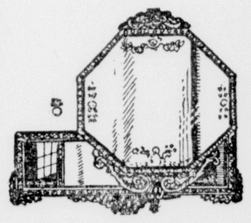
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Walnut Chests
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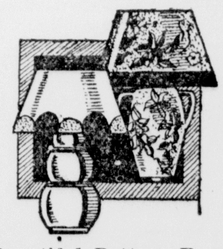
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PLACED UNDER BOND FOR FOUR OFFENSES

Troubles multiplied rapidly Wednesday for Melville Jackson, colored, proprietor of a billiard parlor in Yellow Springs.

Originally arrested on affidavits charging him with selling and possessing liquor as an outgrowth of raids conducted by county and state authorities last Thursday, Jackson had entered not guilty pleas when arraigned in Common Pleas Court and was placed under $800 bond.

He was arraigned in Probate Court Wednesday on a charge of operating a restaurant without a license, pleaded not guilty and his hearing was assigned for December 27 at 9:30 a. m. His bond was fixed at $200.

The affidavit accused him of operating the restaurant without a license for nearly a year. The maximum penalty for this violation is a fine of $10 a day and if convicted of the charge, Jackson would face a possible fine of nearly $3,600.

Authorities then took Jackson to the court of R. O. Copsey, Xenia Twp. justice of the peace, where he was arraigned on another affidavit accusing him of exhibiting unlawful goods. He pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury under $500 bond.

Jackson furnished all bonds requested and was released.

The World And All

BY CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

CONSIDERATIONS

President Andrew Johnson's picture has never been on a postage stamp. Nor has James Buchanan ever been thus honored. And I don't remember seeing Chester A. Arthur, with his grand side-whiskers, on any postage stamp I've ever licked.

Up to date no American postage stamp has borne the face of a living American. That's all right as a general rule, but I think we should break the rule for Lindbergh. We don't get to honor such a hero every year. Don't get careless about Lindbergh's heroism, just because he's married and settled down.

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There are only seventy women airplane pilots in this country, I read in the North American Review. Seven of these qualify as transport pilots. Ten have commercial licenses. There are about 7,500 men pilots. Wait a year or two, and you'll see the women catching up. They didn't get started until after the war.

Here's a job for big money. Establish a central clinic and statistical office for the chain in America, and publish reports and studies as often as necessary to keep the whole scientific world informed of the progress that is made. The cost of one month's first-class war would do it, and the result reasonably to be expected would be elimination of most deaths from these most prolific causes within forty or fifty years.

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Byrd will not be the last widely exploited explorer. An enterprising young man, with good connections and army or navy backing (unofficial), could "do a Byrd" next year or the year after in the far north, ocean. I think the ocean floor furnishes the most promising field for exploration, and will yet yield fame and fortune to several pioneer adventurers.

I agree with the rest of them that the country is fundamentally prosperous. But I can't agree that there's no further danger of war, or that the signing of treaties and calling of conferences will ever obviate the danger of war. Sign treaties, to be sure. Call conferences, and many of them. But let's not take the treaties and conferences too seriously. No other people takes them seriously. We'll be out of luck some day if we sink all our ships and burn up all our gas masks, under the delusion that universal peace has come upon us in the night. Some day we'll have true and lasting world-wide peace, with war an utter impossibility. But we'll have plenty of time to wear out forty or fifty navies between now and then.



Lack of appetite, loss of strength, skin eruptions, that "tired feeling" and other human ills may be due to a lack of red-cells in your blood.

If you are tired—lack pep—if your skin is not clear—if your appetite is "gone"—you owe it to yourself and friends to try S.S.S.

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You may be one of the thousands with a low blood count—to this may be attributed "run-down" systems, skin troubles, and even more serious ailments. It is very dangerous to let the blood count remain below normal.

With an increase in the red-blood-cells you will be on the right road to Health. This is Nature's way to body power and to clear skin. Naturally, with your strength restored, it is easier to fight disease and infection; to enjoy your food and to sleep soundly. When firm flesh takes the place of that which was once flabby, you will feel strong—your nerves will become steady—more happiness and friends will follow.

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At this price you may choose from Gotham Gold Stripe, Kayser, Diamond Point and Burlington Numbers. Also in wide color range and all sizes.

Each Two Pairs In One Of Our Exclusive Style Christmas Boxes

AIR SICKNESS IS BEING OVERCOME

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.—A survey made public by the Trans-continental Air Transport, Inc., reveals that passengers suffering from air sickness have decreased 50 per cent during the past four months. The check was made by T. A. T. and Maddux Air Lines Couriers.

When service first was started on the Transcontinental line last July, it was found that 7 per cent of the travelers suffered in some degree from air sickness. During the past month this was found to have decreased to 3 per cent.

Air sickness has been found to be equally divided between men and women, although at first women were found in the majority, according to the report.

The report also points out that most cases of air sickness are caused by the natural nervousness of the passenger making his first flight. This condition generally is relieved after the plane has been in flight a short time.

BELLBROOK

The two "Boy Evangelists" Emenegger and Hicks, of the Assemblies of God congregation, will start a three weeks' protracted meeting at the town hall on Wednesday evening, December 18. First class music, with vocal and instrumental, will be furnished during their entire stay. Meeting each night in the week except Monday.

Howard Morris had the sad misfortune last Monday to loose the index finger on his left hand and to have the one next to it torn in two near the middle joint, while feeding a corn husker.

Persons who have not had a chance to know of the provisions of the new school bus law, are warned that the passing of a school bus with another vehicle while children are being loaded or unloaded, will subject the offender to a fine of not less than $10 or not more than $100 and be imprisoned in the county jail not to exceed thirty days or both.

Bellbrook boys and girls won both games from the Spring Valley boys and girls at the Schoolhouse on last Friday night. Boys' score, 22 to 17; girls' score, 36 to 16.

CHEST SORENESS YIELDS...

though relief is frequent with one application, Musterole is most usually effective when applied once an hour for five hours. It penetrates and stimulates.

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Containing Perfume, Toilet Water and Face Powder in a variety of odors. Price $1.00 to $5.00. Now a daily necessity. Any girl would be pleased to get one for Christmas.

D. D. JONES
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43 E. Main St. Xenia, O.

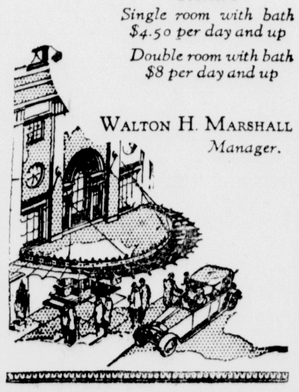
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ADMIRABLY situated on the Crest of Murray Hill. It is convenient to the business, shopping and theatre centers and to the Pennsylvania and New York Central Railway Terminals. B. & O. Motor Coaches stop at the entrance.

Its clientele is made up of intelligent travellers from all parts of the World. One finds in the dining rooms excellent service and a perfect cuisine. Every bedroom is an outside room and each one has its own private bath.

TARIFF
Single room with bath $4.50 per day and up
Double room with bath $8 per day and up

WALTON H. MARSHALL
Manager.



On Seventh Voyage Over Sea of Matrimony



Mrs. Elsie Hesse-Larsen-Smith-Crossley-Seaman-Metzer-Wood has added the name of James G. Flesher to her already long list. This is her seventh fling at the matrimony game, divorce courts having divested her of four of her former mates.

BLACK ON GRAY TAG COLORS FOR 1931

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.— Although the 1930 automobile license plates cannot be used until December 21, Secretary of State Brown and Motor Vehicle Commissioner Wilson have already selected the colors for the 1931 licenses and the work of manufacturing them will start at the Ohio Penitentiary early in January.

The 1931 tags will have black figures on a background of light gray, the 1930 tags, which will on automobiles, have white letters and numerals on a maroon background.

SPRING VALLEY

The ladies of the community room will hold a chicken supper and Christmas bazaar, December 14. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sims, who were called here by the serious condition of their sister, Mrs. Ruth Stingley, left for their home at Huntington, W. Va., Sunday evening. Mrs. Stingley was removed from the McClellan Hospital Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thomas and son of Dayton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walton and family. Mrs. Lena Barrett and daughter Gwendolyn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walton of Dayton the Walton home.

Mr. D. W. Gorham of Xenia and Mrs. Ella Trump of Wilmington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Compton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Compton and daughter Delyte of Troy were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Compton.

Postmaster F. M. Hiatt, who has been sick for several weeks is improving slowly. Mrs. Hiatt, who has also been sick is able to be out again.

Mr. Ray Noggle has accepted a position at the Arch Copsey grocery.

Mrs. Jennie Underwood was called to Detroit, Mich., Thursday evening by the serious illness of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Val Sims' Sunday dinner guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sims and son Carl of Huntington, W. Va., their afternoon guests were Mrs. Caroline Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. James Sears and Mr. and Mrs. Ogburn of Dayton.

The P. T. Club held its regular meeting at the town hall Tuesday evening. After a short business session, the losing side of the membership contest put on an entertainment of music, recitations, dialogues and playlets. The parts were well taken and well played and were much enjoyed by the large crowd present.

Mr. Wm. Lambert spent Saturday at his home in West Jefferson.

Mr. I. Bloch and Mr. Henry Walton were the victims of thieves Friday night. Mr. Bloch lost merchandise and Mr. Walton money and gasoline.

Mr. William Scarff is suffering from an infection in his hand.

Closing Out

Entire Stock of Cooking Utensils Aluminum Ware, Granite Ware, Pyrex, Galvanized Tubs, Buckets Etc.

All Prices Greatly Reduced

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GIVING
Health—Happiness And A Just Pride



HAPPY to own it



PROUD to show it

Really, you can't blame her. Who wouldn't drag her friends out into the kitchen to show off her new General Electric Refrigerator? There it stands, gleaming white, strong as a safe, incredibly quiet.

For a gift that gives all-year usefulness, that makes every-day tasks lighter, that safeguards health, the General Electric is really ideal. It makes a generous supply of ice cubes and freezes those luscious desserts which every hostess enjoys serving.

When you buy a General Electric you are choosing the one and only electric refrigerator which has an *all-steel* cabinet. And all the mechanism is hermetically sealed in a steel casing mounted on top . . . out of the way, dust-proof, never needs oiling . . . . leaving the greatest cabinet area for food storage. It has an accessible freezing regulator which allows you to control freezing-speeds. It causes no radio interference.

For a record of performance, can any other refrigerator equal this . . . . 350,000 in use and no owner has spent a single dollar for repairs or service? When you are deciding on the gift that will best serve the whole family, consider the sound value which the General Electric Refrigerator offers and remember that spaced payments can readily be arranged.

If you like really good music tune in on the General Electric Hour broadcast every Saturday evening.

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Smart d'Orsay boudoir slippers in the gleaming new Zapon finish. Black, Red or Blue. Cushion sole. And only

98c

Hurry! Time is Flying!

Remember last year—how you rushed frantically at the last minute! Shop NOW—it is EASIER.

Someone on your gift list will appreciate a

Bathrobe

Chilly mornings and evenings when she slips into her gaily patterned blanket robe, she will appreciate the thought that prompted your gift . . . there are a number of styles from which to select . . . some with cord and some with satin trimmings . . . all with cord girdles. And they are surprisingly inexpensive for such attractive robes.



$2.98 to $4.98



Lace Trimmed Rayon

Underwear

Makes a Good GIFT at 98c

Charming! Panties, Step-ins, Bloomers, Chemises and Combinations, also Dancettes with the daintiest lace inserts and medallions. A much finer quality, of course, than you'd ordinarily expect to find at this exceedingly low price!

Sateen Bound, Double

BLANKETS

How warm these double plaid blankets of cotton-and-wool are! Sateen bound ends. Size: 72x84 inches. A Pair,

$3.98

Heavy Double Terry

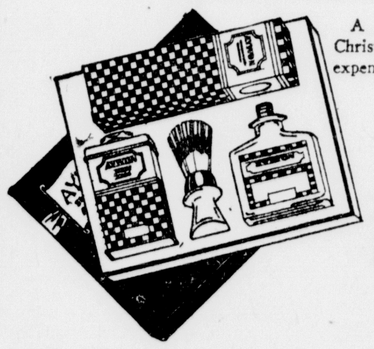
BATH TOWELS

You can restock her towel closet quite inexpensively . . . quite satisfactorily if you choose these excellent all white or colored border towels, size 22 x 44 inches, each—

25c

Aywon Shaving Set

In Attractive Gift Box

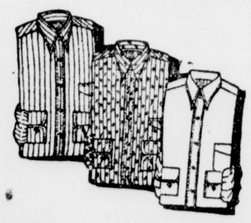


A man's own choice in Christmas gifts. Useful, inexpensive.

The Package Contains—

Full-size tube of Shaving Cream, After-shaving Lotion, Men's Talc and Majestic Shaving Brush,

98c



Please Men With Shirts

For Christmas

$1.49

They're made with collars attached and in neckband style. Of fine broadcloths in neat stripe and figured effects. Splendid shirts for Christmas giving at a decidedly low price!



A Toilet Set

For Her

Comb and brush and mirror sets are the favorite gifts of ever so many women . . . you will find a number of very pretty sets from which to select . . . priced from

98c to $4.98

Cotton Blanket

Single

Good looking plaid blankets to use with heavier ones. Each

98c

Bath Robes

For Men

Beacon blanket robes, with shawl collar.

$2.98 to $6.90

Men's Felt Slippers

A Feature Value—An Ideal Gift!

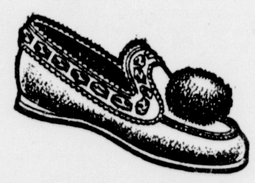
Made with the hylo collar that can be turned up to keep the ankles warm! Soft cushion sole.



$1.19

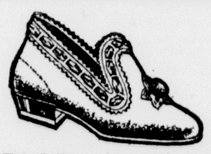
Choose This Felt Slipper

In the Color She Likes Best!



We have a good variety of the most wanted colors in this comfortable Felt Moccasin with ribbon trimming.

79c



Felt Juliets with sturdy leather soles and rubber-tipped heels. Ribbon trimmed. In several favored colors.

$1.19



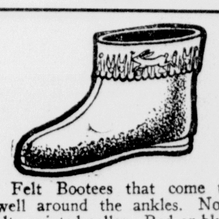
We have a good variety of the most wanted colors in this comfortable Felt Moccasin with ribbon trimming.

59c



Little girls will be delighted with a pair of these ribbon-trimmed felt slippers in red or blue.

Sizes 12 to 2 ..... 69c
Sizes 8 1-2 to 11 1-2 . 59c
Sizes 5 1-2 to 8 ..... 49c



Felt Bootees that come up well around the ankles. Novelty printed collar. Red or blue.

Sizes 12 to 2 ..... 79c
Sizes 8½ to 11½ 69c
Sizes 5 1-2 to 8 ..... 59c



Romeos, the neat house slipper! Brown kid, elastic sides and half rubber heels! Slippers unusual at,

$2.98



A whoop of delight will greet the gift of a pair of these "Boy Scout" Felt Everetts with scout design on toe. Only

89c

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60 Horses—Cows, etc.

1 Card of Thanks

WE DESIRE TO express our deepest thanks to all the neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy to us in our late bereavement, the death of our beloved father, George Horn. Also Rev. Burkett and choir, Mr. Coffman for the way he conducted the funeral.

Mother and Children.

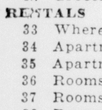
3 Florists; Monuments

CHRYSANTHEMUMS—Also tulip and hyacinth bulbs. R. O. Douglas, Monroe and Washington St. Ph. 549-W.

11 Professional Services

CARPENTER WORK wanted. Call Lawrence Fry, 51 Walnut St., or Ph. 375-R.

"KODAK AS YOU GO"—Have Daisy Clemans finish your pictures expertly. Room 9, Steele Building.



FELT HATS cleaned and blocked, $1. Made-to-measure suits and overcoats, $23.50 and up. Valet Press Shop.

12 Roofing, Plumbing

PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purpoges. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co. 415 W. Main St.

17 Commercial Hauling

BEST MOVING and storage facilities in Xenia. Call 728 for prompt service. Lang Transfer.

NOTICE—Hauling of all kinds. Furniture carefully moved. Mendenhall Transfer. Phone 566-R.

CALL 710 for Mouser Transfer Co. Furniture carefully handled. Stoves disconnected and set up.

LOCAL and long distance hauling. Phone 965-W. Lewis F. Drake, 201 Dayton Ave., Xenia.

22 Situations Wanted

WILL TAKE care of children while mothers are away. Mrs. Ralph Harness, 240 S. West St.

24 Dogs—Canaries—Pets

CANARIES—Guaranteed singers. Mrs. William Dove. 131 Dayton Ave. Phone 1189-R.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

REGISTERED Guernsey bull, 3 yrs. old. Phone County 33-F-4.

JERSEY COW—Leo Lamka, Wilmington Pike. Xenia R. No. 6.

HAMPSHIRE male hog. C. A. Huff, Spring Valley. Box No. 54.

MONEY TO LOAN ON EASY PAYMENTS
On any kind of security you have to offer—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, LIVESTOCK or AUTOMOBILES.
AMERICAN LOAN CO.
Steele Bldg. Terms 4 Mo. To 4 Yrs.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

GUERNSEY male calf. Phone 856.

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TWO ROOMS for light housekeeping, modern and clean. 333 W. Market St.

BIG TYPE Poland-China male pig. E. E. McCall, R. No. 2, Xenia. Ph. 76-14.

27 Wanted To Buy

WANTED—A used typewriter. Portable preferred. Phone 82-F-21.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale

LINOLEUM RUGS, 7 1-2x9 for $5. Other various sizes. Radios, gas and coal heaters. Mendenhall's Used Furniture Store.

120 EGG INCUBATOR, brass bed and springs, Victrola and records, gas heating stove, two 9x12 rugs, 60 lb. ice box, new bicycle. 141 Dayton Ave. Phone 678-M.

FREE ALADDIN LAMP. Call at our store for details. Huston-Bickett Hdwe. Co.

PIPE—All sizes, boiler tubes, angles, beams, channels, plates, etc. Also new rope, leather belting and other numerous articles. Xenia Iron and Metal Co., 17 Cincinnati Ave.

CHILD'S AUTOMOBILE, airplane type. Like new. Call 59-R after 6 p. m.

COOPER BATTERIES—$6.50 and your old battery. Carroll-Binder Co., E. Main St.

CHRISTMAS SETS—Special 95c. Eichman Electric, W. Main St.

GAS AND COAL heaters, cook stove and furniture at the right prices. Fudge Used Furniture Store.

29 Musical—Radio

MAJESTIC combination radio-victrola. Priced right. Adair Furniture Store.

PIANOS FOR SALE—$5.00 monthly. John Harbine, Allen Building.

SPARTON RADIO
Radio's Richest Voice
$179.50 to $795
Ask for demonstration
BALES MOTOR SALES
S. Detroit Phone 50

30 Household Goods

PUBLIC SALE—Household goods of late Lucretia Gowdy, Saturday, December 21, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., at No. 323 West Church Street, Xenia, consisting of furniture, stoves, dishes, kitchen utensils, blankets, quilts, linen, etc. Terms: Cash.—Bessie Huffman, Admx.

31 Wearing Apparel

CLOTH COAT for girl, 13 or 14 yrs. Good condition. Phone 1034-J.

34 Apartments— Furnished

THREE ROOM furnished apartment. 302 E. Market, corner of Monroe.

35 Apartments, Unfurnished

4 ROOM APARTMENT. Heat and water furnished. Geo. Dodds and Sons Co.

W. SECOND—Corner West St., one of new efficiency apartments. For couple or small family. Electrolux automatic refrigerator, stove, tub and shower. Two inador beds. $35 per mo. Inquire P. H. Flynn. Phone 1060.

39 Houses—Unfurnished

6 ROOM house and garage at 109 E. Third St.

A SIX room house at Goes Station. Call Hunt's Broom Factory.

FIVE ROOM double house with garage. All modern with furnace. Ph. 1141-W.

45 Houses for Sale

TWO STORY frame; 2-car garage; 7 rooms, strictly modern, located at 315 W. Market St. Pleasant location. See A. W. Tresise, Citizens Nat'l. Bank.

47 Real Estate for Exchange

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Three properties. Will take country homes in exchange. Three, five and seven room houses. See Harness and Bales, Allen Bldg.

48 Farms For Sale

6 ACRE TRUCK farm, located close to a good town. Good buildings. Priced to sell if sold at once. T. C. Long, 15 Green St.

49 Business Opportunities

CHATTEL LOANS. Notes Bought. Second Mortgages. John Harbine, Allen Building.

52 Auto Laundries—Painting

CAR WASHING and alemiting at Anderson's Rent-a-Car, S. Whiteman St.

LEGAL NOTICE

Alice Morgan, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 18th day of November, 1929 that John Morgan filed his certain petition against her in the Common Pleas Court, Greene County, Ohio praying for divorce on the ground of wilful absence for more than three years.

The defendant is further notified that said cause will be for hearing in said Court in Xenia, Ohio on and after the 28th day of December 1929 and that she must answer or demur prior thereto or judgment will be taken against her.

John Morgan.
MARSHALL & MARSHALL
Attys. for Plaintiff.
(11-14-21-28, 12-5-12-19.)

MILITIA AND STATE TROOPERS RESTORE ORDER AFTER BREAK

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forty year sentence, shot and killed.

The injured:

George E. Atkins, guard, wounded so critically he is expected to die.

John Bruton, guard, shot in stomach but expected to recover.

J. F. Van Hausen, guard, slightly wounded.

Milton Ryther, guard, wounded but will recover.

Max Becker, convict.

Earl Udwine, convict.

Clarence Scriber, convict.

Sergeant E. A. La Point, Oneida barracks, shot in right cheek.

Trooper Earl Fogarty, nose grazed by bullet.

Trooper William Stevens, slightly wounded in forehead.

It was not until darkness descended upon the grim old prison that the backbone of the rebellion was broken by a volley of shots from troopers, guardsmen and police and the last remnant of the mutineers fell mortally wounded or instantly killed.

They had been driven to a corner in the south wing of the building, and had elected to die rather than surrender.

The uprising had started shortly before 11 o'clock in the morning when a company of fifty of the most desperate criminals held within the prison walls was being marched through a corridor on the way to a yard for exercise. They were all men facing long years of penal service, some a whole lifetime, and the majority of them had participated in last summer's revolt and had done months of solitary confinement.

Upon a prearranged signal they seized their guards, and took their weapons from them. The principal keeper, Durnford, quickly learned of the incipient rebellion and dashed along a corridor toward the mutineers. As he came down the steps leading to the exercise yard one of the convicts who had seized a pistol from a guard, shot him down, and he died shortly after he was taken to a hospital.

One by one other guards came around corridors, or down stairways, and they were promptly corralled by the convicts. They were told that if they uttered a sound or made a false move they would be "plugged."

Warden Jennings meanwhile, chanced to pass through a wing of the building. He was on a customary daily tour of inspection. Suddenly a convict stepped out and shoved a pistol into his stomach.

"If you move, I'll shoot," said the convict, quietly, "come with me, warden. We want you to accompany us to the punishment gallery. You will have to 'cover us.' If you don't we're going to snuff you out."

Two other convicts, both of whom had obtained arms, came up alongside of the warden and the trio marched him to the punishment gallery. There the warden was handcuffed to one of the guards who had been seized. Six or seven guards had been corralled by the mutineers.

Guards were forced to open cell doors and release other prisoners.

Warden Jennings was told he would have to instruct the men "out in front" to let the convicts out of the prison, unmolested, or he would be slain. Convict Sullivan, one of the ringleaders, told him, if they didn't get their freedom "all of us will die together for we are determined to escape or die in the attempt and you'll die with us."

They scribbled a note, instructed the warden to sign it, but he refused. Had it not been for a priest who defiantly walked to where he was being held and counselled the convicts the warden might have been shot then and there. For hours the warden was held hostage until he was finally rescued by troops under a barrage of tear gas bombs and bullets.

This morning the gray prison was silent, but it showed the aftermath of yesterday's bloody siege. Sawdust covered the blood splotched corridor of the south wing of the prison, to which section the convicts had been herded in the final stages of the battle. Cells in this section were riddled with bullets.

Homer Thompson, confidential clerk at the prison, stated there was no likelihood of another flare-up. The convicts, in their cells, guarded more closely than ever, were grim and silent.

SHOP - R - GUIDE

Gifts For Her

OLD LADIES Comfort Shoes at Sanz Shoe Store, 32 E. Main St.

REAL SILK HOSIERY and lingerie. What more beautiful Christmas gift? Mary K. Sutton. 1247-R.

HOLIDAY Slippers from 50 cents up at Sanz Shoe Store. 32 E. Main St.

SWEETS TO THE SWEET. Handsomely boxed candies for Christmas. Order your holiday sweets and ice cream from us. The Xenia Candy Kitchen.

LADIES AND men's spats at Sanz Shoe Store, 32 E. Main St.

USE OUR lay-away plan. A small deposit will hold any article until Christmas. Famous Cheap Store.

WRIST WATCHES, diamond and cameo rings. Charters.

HANDBAGS—$3.89 up. Also stationery and Christmas cards. Sohn's Drug Store.

SEND HER a Conklin Fountain Pen or a box of Hollingsworth Candy from GEYER'S.

SEE OUR BOXED Gibson Card assortment, 12 cards 25c. GEYER'S.

TOILET NOVELTIES, scarfs, handkerchief sets, bouttonieres. Mina's Hat Shoppe.

Gifts For Him

GIVE OUR fancy boxed cigars, some of our choice tobaccos or a handsome pipe. Harness Cigar Store.

GIVE HIM a Conklin pen and pencil or a desk set from GEYER'S.

JEWELRY—Mens' and ladies'—watches, diamonds on our charge account plan. Xenia Mercantile Co., 12 E. Second St.

STRAP WATCHES, emblem rings and cigarette cases. At Charters Jewelry Store.

Gifts For The Family

ORDER your Christmas cards from Ralph Wallace. All kinds including boxed assortment. Taking orders for personal cards. Ph. 1127-R.

THE GIFT—the giver—and the recipient find favor through the SHOP-R-GUIDE.

SUBSCRIPTIONS for all kinds of magazines with Ralph Wallace make ideal gifts. Renew your old subscription with me. Ph. 1127-R.

WATCH OUR windows for Christmas specials. Miller Electric.

THERE'S A GIFT that is always appreciated — never duplicated — your photograph. Wheeler Studio.

8 LIGHT Mazda lamps, special price, Christmas tree sets. Miller Electric.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES, toilet goods, kodaks, fountain pens and pencils, stationery, etc. Sayre's Drug Store.

LUNCH WITH us when shopping downtown. GEYER'S.

CHRISTMAS Greeting cards, picture framing and stationery at L. S. Barnes and Co.

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Gifts For The Home

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CROSLEY RADIOS. Authorized dealer. Harry Hagler. Phone Co. 96-F-5.

IT COSTS you nothing to watch the SHOP-R-GUIDE—but it will save you money to buy through this medium.

AN ALADDIN LAMP for Xmas, floor lamp, hanging lamp, table lamp. Huston-Bickett Hdwe. Co.

HAVE A PIANO or Victorola-Radio in your home Christmas. Give her a dozen Victorola records. Sutton Music Store.

Gifts For The Children

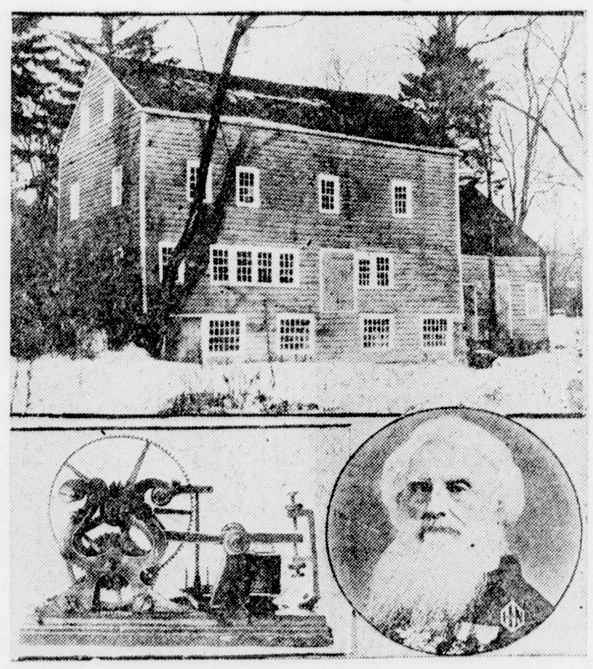
THE TOY and gift store. Buy now. Famous Cheap Store.

THERE'S A REAL Christmas service for you under the SHOP-R-GUIDE.

BEST TOYS in town. GEYER'S.

VISIT OUR TOYLAND—Third floor. Our new Gift Section—first floor. An unusually large selection of every manner of gifts in every department of our store. Jobe's.

Plan to Honor Samuel Morse In Ancient Town Celebration



Preparations are now being made for the celebration of the 150th anniversary of Morristown, N. J., the town where telegraphy was born. Among the historic spots in this ancient town is the home of Samuel Morse where, in conjunction with Alfred Vail, they sent out the first telegraph message on May 24th, 1844. The old house, the birthplace of this great invention, is shown above as it still stands in Morristown. Below is pictured the machine which was operated successfully more than 85 years ago. It will be interesting to compare the original with the machine of today. (Inset)—Samuel Morse, famous inventor.

COTTON STOCKINGS

BY ALMA SIOUX SCARBERRY — Author of "THE FLAT TIRE"

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CHAPTER XLVI

Rowdy knew the small dark man that lay on the sidewalk, his head supported by a policeman, while another bent over him with a notebook and pencil.

It was Sprinty Flynn.

Rowdy saw the blood beside him and it flashed through his mind in a moment what had happened. Close by lay two suit cases, and just a few feet away stood a big car with the motor going. There was no one in the car.

Sprinty had come to get the loot hidden under Rosalie's bed. A suspicious policeman had seen him slinking down the fire escape and called to him to halt. But instead, Sprinty had leaped toward the car and the policeman had fired. Three bullets entered his back.

Rowdy pushed his way to the officers' side.

"I'm from the Tribune."

They had to bend over close to hear the dying Sprinty as the officer questioned him.

"You was in Murphy's to get the stuff hid there? Whose room was it in?"

"Rosalie—March—Martino—"

"Where was the stuff from."

"Boggs—store—Martino—under the girl's bed—"

Rowdy knew that everything was up. Rosalie would be rearrested. He leaned over Sprinty—

"Flynn, listen to me. Rosalie March was innocent, wasn't she? She didn't steal the stuff—"

But it was too late. Sprinty's head rolled to the side, and he was gone. An ambuance clambered up and they carried him away. Kenessa stood wringing her hands when Rowdy went back to her and they went up stairs together.

A moment later a detective rang the bell. Mother met him, tears streaming down her face. Now what would happen to colleen? She would never come home.

The detective stepped in importantly:

"Whose got the room where the stuff was?"

"Sure, he knows nothin' about it," mother spoke up, defending Rowdy. "He's a friend of a girl I've been after knowin' for years. Nobody knowed the stuff was under the bed."

"Tell that to the judge," the detective laughed, sarcastically, and made his way upstairs.

It was Detective Bob Sears. Rowdy had known him ever since he became a reporter on the Tribune five years before. He did not recognize the black-haired man who opened the door and said easily:

"Hello, Sears."

The detective looked nonplussed.

"I don't place you, mister."

"I don't blame you," Rowdy grinned, a little shakily, "but I'm Rowdy Dow."

"The hell you say."

Rowdy explained his disguise.

"I smelled a mouse on this story from the first, and I got the fool idea no one would know me if I'd hide behind this bush and fix myself up. This is my room."

"You—livin' here? Did you know the suitcases was under the bed?"

"Yes—I found 'em. I'm working in Boggs and Clarke's as a dick. The stuff is from the store. I checked up on it."

Sears laughed goodnaturedly.

"I seen you'd been scoopin' 'em all over the place on this yarn. What you got to tell me that'll be any good?"

Rowdy hesitated. He knew there was only one thing to do, however. That was to come clean with Sears as far as he dared. But, first he exacted a favor of him.

"Listen," Rowdy handed him a cigar and sat down to talk it over, "I want you to go with me to Rosalie March and let's take the kid up to the rogues' gallery and let her take a look over the pans of some of those birds up there. She's been framed cold—some of it her fault because she's so damned dumb and innocent, but you must give the kid a break."

"Do you think she knows all about this?"

"She knows a lot," Rowdy assured him, "but she is the innocent victim of these yeggs, and the girl is almost scared to death. They've been threatenng her life and everything else. She hasn't dared draw her breath since she's been in the store. Martino scared her into letting him plant the stuff in her room because she took a pair of stockings from the store."

He told the story as Rosalie had told him—with all the pitiful details of her shame at the cotton stockings. Sears was a big hearted man and he really felt sorry for her when Rowdy got through.

Rowdy wondered how much time he would have to work before they found out about Roy Andrews being taken away in a plane. If they beat him to that he would be sunk. And he hadn't the slightest idea where to begin without arousing suspicion.

"You play ball with me," he told Sears then, "and I'll play ball with you. There's a lot to be found out, and it will mean a good promotion for you if I have anything to say about it."

Sears nodded consent:

"You can't hurt my feelin's."

A little later the ringing of the telephone sent the hair standing on Rosalie's head. Who could be calling her? She picked up the phone with shaking hands. It was Rowdy.

"Hello," he said, softly, "Sprinty Flynn has been shot at Mother Murphy's, running away with the suitcases. I'm bringing a detective up with me to take you to the rogues' gallery. He doesn't know about the other affair. Be careful. We'll be there in about fifteen minutes."

Rosalie felt her doom was sealed. She would be known for a thief now. Everyone would think she had been one of Martino's accomplices.

Cold, and terror stricken, she put on her hat mechanically and sat waiting.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Farm Notes

TRACTORS REDUCE DEMAND FOR HORSE FEED

The introduction of tractors has greatly reduced the demand for horse feed, not only by reducing the number of horses but by lightening the amount of work so that the average feed per horse is less.

In 1910 the number of horses on Ohio farms was 910,000, and in 1920 the number was 810,000 according to the U. S. Census for the two decades. The number had further declined to 630,000 in 1925 and to 520,000 in 1929, as given in Ohio Agricultural Statistics, collected by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Department of Rural Economics co-operating and published by the Ohio Experiment Station. In addition the automobile and tractor have largely replaced the horse in the cities.

The average amount of feed consumed per horse has also decreased as more and more of the heavy farm work is being done by tractors. F. L. Morison, of the rural economics department, finds from cost account records kept in Greene and Medina Counties that the average amount of grain per horse fed in 1924 was 2936 pounds and in 1924 only 2158 pounds. The amount of roughages for the same year was 5677 pounds and 4676 pounds.

During the five years in which these records were kept the number of tractors increased from three to fifteen on the thirty-two farms of record in the two counties. Although the number of farms in this study is small they are fairly representative in showing the decline in demand for horse feed.

Aimee And Mother Reconciled Enjoy Their Daily Rides Together



Their past differences forgotten, Aimee Semple McPherson (left) and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, take their daily exercise together through Griffith Park, Los Angeles. They are pictured above on their favorite mounts.



IT WON'T BE LONG!

With Christmas rapidly approaching, shopping crowds on Xenia's streets and in the city's stores are increasing daily.

Christmas shopping is no longer the bugbear it was formerly—thanks to the SHOP-R-GUIDE. Wise gift purchasers daily peruse SHOP-R-GUIDE to gain its helpful assistance in the selection of Christmas presents. And with the time until the arrival of Christmas growing very short, SHOP-R-GUIDE is increasing in importance.

BRINGING UP FATHER — By GEORGE McMANUS



The Theater

The British film industry is said to be facing another crisis because of American enterprise, this time because Fox Films have introduced the new Grandeur Films in England, with a resultant scare among British producers.

The new Fox films are shown on screens fifty feet wide and thirty-five feet high and are made on a two and one-half inch film instead of the normal one and one-quarter inch size film. British producers say their adoption would mean the scrapping of $80,000,000 in present equipment.

"As usual," says the Morning Post, "our industry is utterly prepared for this new and devastating attack. These films revolutionize the whole cinema outlook. If they are successful they will completely destroy all the present studio plants and will render most of the cinemas obsolete.

"One unexpected result may develop. Theaters, especially those in the provinces, have far larger proscenium openings than most cinemas. It would certainly be ironic if the Americans had to purchase our theaters for their films and our actors were driven to appear in what are now cinemas. This new development places the majority of theater owners entirely at the Americans' mercy. There is only one way to combat this menace, that is to pool the resources of the British film industry and fight the menace on our own, and not on American terms."

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American ingenuity has been back of American enterprise in the development of the American film industry that has given it its authority in other countries. The foreign industry may well quake when it realizes that pictures in third dimension will very probably be the next step in the development of the industry in this country.

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The life of former Kaiser Wilhelm II will be made into a motion picture in Germany, the script having been prepared by Dosio Koffler, the scenariast. All personalities who played a role in his life, including King Edward, Czar Nicholas, Emperor Franz Joseph, Lloyd George and Poincare will be represented by actors from the country in question.

The film will begin with the first meeting of Bismarck and Wilhelm II and ends with the latter's flight to Holland and the proclaiming of the republic. The manuscript sticks strictly to historical facts and is expected to be a sensation in Germany.

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Murray Roth, director-in-chief at Warner Bros. Eastern Vitaphone Studios in Brooklyn, where half of Vitaphone Varieties are made started his career as a composer of popular melodies. By the time he was twenty-four he had written such song hits as "I Used To Call Her Baby," "I'm a Lonesome Little Raindrop," "Keep Your Eyes on the Girlie You Love," "Love, Honor and O Baby," and others. He began as a scenario writer for Fox in 1921 and went to work later for Warners with Bryan Foy.



This very carefully posed portrait is quite the latest likeness of the suave Warner Baxter.

Twenty Years '09- Ago -'29

The Vigus property at Main and Collier Sts., and two adjoining properties on the east side have been offered as a site for the post office here.

A portion of the slate roof at the plant of the Hagar Straw Board and Paper Co., was blown away by a severe wind and rain storm that passed over Cedarville.

SALLY'S SALLIES



The man of the hour---the one who waits a minute for his wife.





JUST AMONG US GIRLS



By LESLIE FORGRAVE

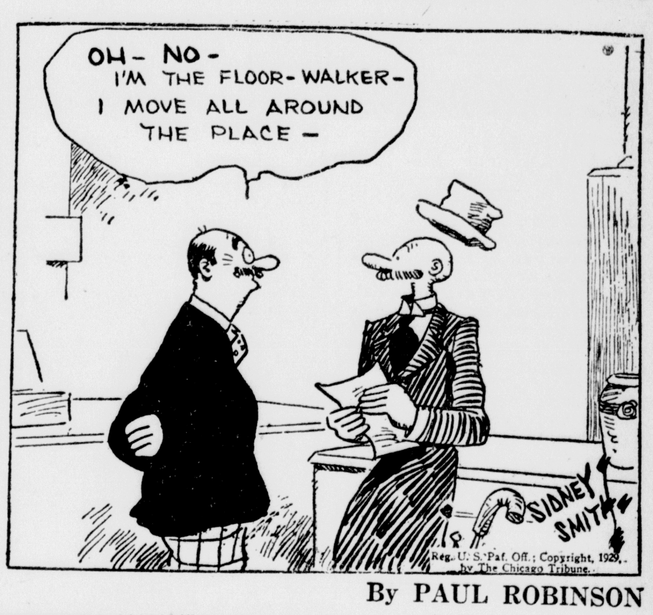


THE GUMPS—Only Twelve More Days to Do Your Xmas Shopping.

By SIDNEY SMITH







ETTA KETT—Too Much Of It!

By PAUL ROBINSON







MUGGS McGINNIS—Or Elks?

By WALLY BISHOP

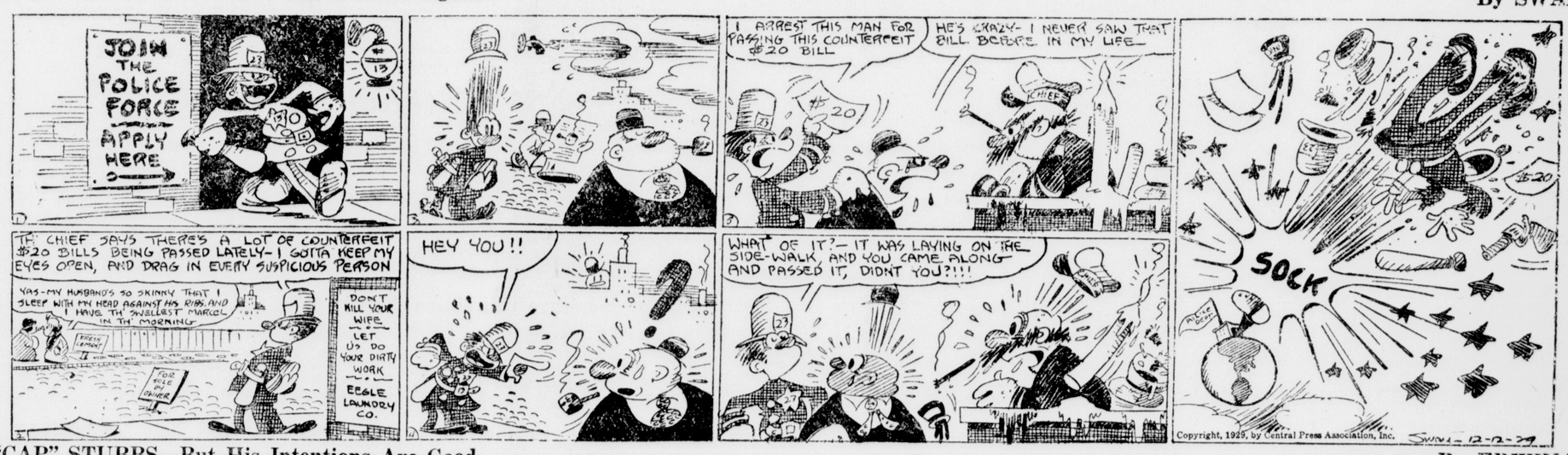






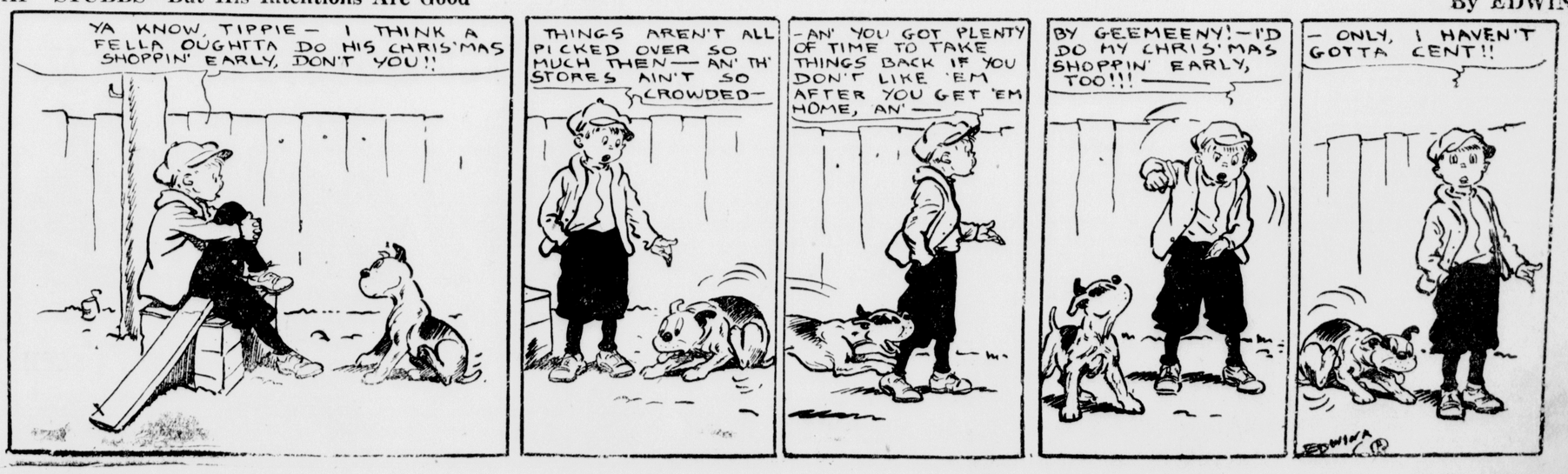
HIGH PRESSURE PETE—Out of a Job Again.

By SWAN



"CAP" STUBBS—But His Intentions Are Good

By EDWINA



ALLOW PARTITION; OTHER COURT NEWS

Partition of property has been authorized by the court in the case of Stella Bryant against Nettie M. Harner and others in Common Pleas Court. O. B. Armstrong, Frank Heider and H. R. Kenoig were named commissioners for that purpose.

DIVORCE SOUGHT

Charging wilful absence from home for more than three years, E. E. Mann has brought suit in Common Pleas Court for divorce from Mary W. Mann. They were married June 21, 1910 and have one child, Earl, 17.

WINS JUDGMENT

A. B. Little and E. J. Little, defendants in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by E. S. Sears, have confessed judgment on a cognovit note for $414.

OHIO STATE TO GIVE DIPLOMAS TO 175

COLUMBUS, Dec. 12.—A class of approximately 175 will be graduated here Dec. 20 at the autumn convocation at Ohio State University. Eight of the university's eleven colleges, including the graduate school, are represented in the class.

Candidates from the graduate school comprise nearly a third of the prospective recipients for degrees. Among them are eight candidates for the degree of doctor of philosophy, the highest in the gift of the university, thirty-five for that of master of arts, and thirteen for that of master of science.

The convocation exercises will be held in the afternoon in the campus chapel. The convocation address will be given by Prof. William L. Graves, of the department of English.

MT. ETNA ERUPTING BUT NOT SERIOUSLY

CATANIA, Sicily, Dec. 12.—The famous volcano, Mt. Etna, showed signs of activity again today, erupting cinders and much smoke.

Director Ponte, head of the observatory which reports on all activity of the volcano, declared the present eruption was not serious.

WEEKLY EVENTS

THURSDAY:
Red Men.
Church Prayer meetings.
FRIDAY:
Red Men.
SATURDAY:
Market—Mt. Zion Reformed Ch.
Fisher Meat Mkt., 9 o'clock.
MONDAY:
Unity Center.
D. of P.
S. P. O.
K. K. K.
TUESDAY:
Kiwanis.
Rotary.
WEDNESDAY:
K. of P.
Moose.

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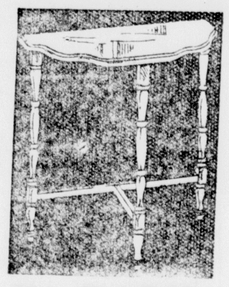
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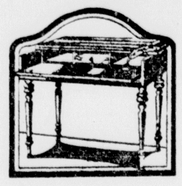
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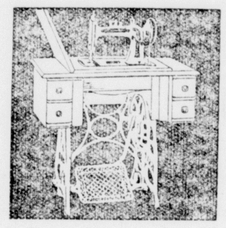
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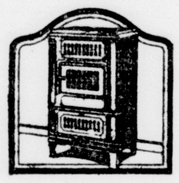
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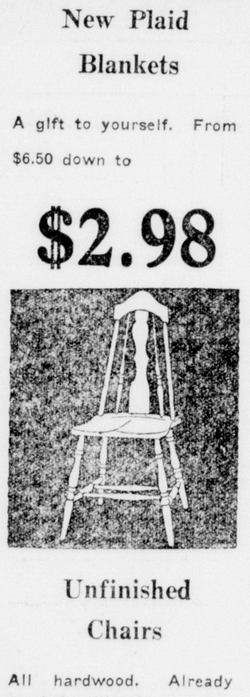


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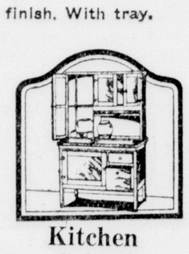
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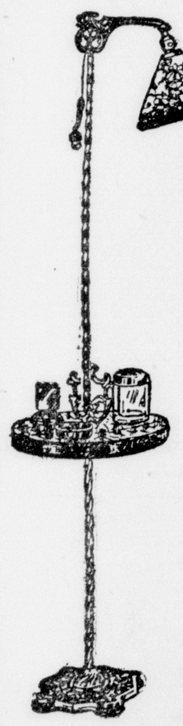
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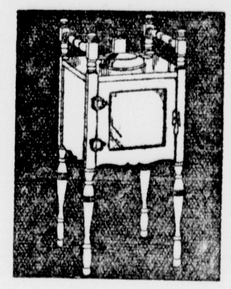
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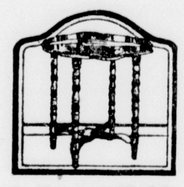
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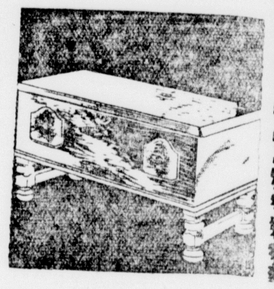


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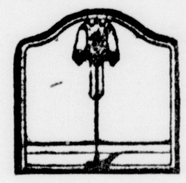
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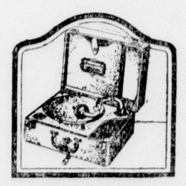
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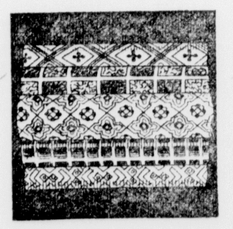


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CHINESE REBELS REPULSED

GRUNDY ASSUMES ROLE AS SUCCESSOR TO VARE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Joseph R. Grundy, more familiarly known as "Uncle Joe," and a prominent figure in a score of tariff fights going back to the Dingles bill of '97, made his bow to Washington today in a new role—that of senator-designate from Pennsylvania.

He was appointed to the vacancy which occurred through the senate's refusal to admit William S. Vare, and he not only accepted but announced that he would be a candidate to succeed himself next year for the regular term.

A sharp, but ineffectual attempt will be made by a small group of senators to keep Grundy out of the senate. Among the ringleaders of the small opposition group is Senator Gerald P. Nye (R) of North Dakota, one of those states which the veteran tariff lobbyist pronounced "a backward state" in his appearance before the Caraway lobby committee.

The opposition may keep the Pennsylvanian from his seat for a few days, but the majority opinion on all sides is that the fight eventually will fail, and that the senate ultimately will seat Grundy by a top-heavy vote. It was estimated today that probably not more than a dozen votes will be cast against his being seated.

"VICTIM" IS BACK



Supposed to have been mutilated and burned alive by five men last March as he was escorting his sweetheart, Tiller Ruminer, to Mountainview, Ark., to be married, this man, claiming to be Connie Franklin, the victim, appeared just as the state was about to proceed with the trial of the alleged night-riders. Some have identified him as Franklin while others deny he is the man supposed to be the "murder" victim.

NATIONALISTS ARE VICTORS IN BLOODY BATTLE FOR CANTON

Reinforcements Turn Tide; Revolters Lose 5,000 Men

SHANGHAI, Dec. 12. — Nationalist forces still held Canton today after defeating the rebels in what was probably the heaviest battle of the present widespread rebellion against the government of General Chiang Kai Shek.

Thousands were reported killed and wounded on both sides in the battle which began Monday when the "Ironsides" wing of the rebel forces made a determined thrust at the Cantonese defenders which brought them within ten miles of Canton.

Hastily summoned Nationalist reinforcements, however, turned the tide of the battle and the rebels were forced to retreat to some distance beyond Sunwai which is nineteen miles from Canton.

In retreating, it was reported they lost about 5,000 men in prisoners. The rebel defeat was attributed to a trap set by the Nationalists.

The Ironsides had been advancing from the north of Canton while the Kwangsi rebels advanced from the west. The Nationalists, by first retreating, drew the Ironsides far ahead of the Kwangsi troops and then threw their reinforcements into the resultant gap between the Ironsides and Kwangsi forces, thus partially encircling the former.

With Nationalist attenion drawn to the Ironsides, the Kwangsi forces meanwhile made a new encroachment toward Canton by occupying Sangshei, according to reports from Wuchow.

The proximity of the fighting threw many Canton residents into panic. As they saw the hospitals filling up with wounded and realized that the city might fall hourly, many of them fled toward Hong Kong, remembering the looting and incendiarism which usually follows the fall of a Chinese city.

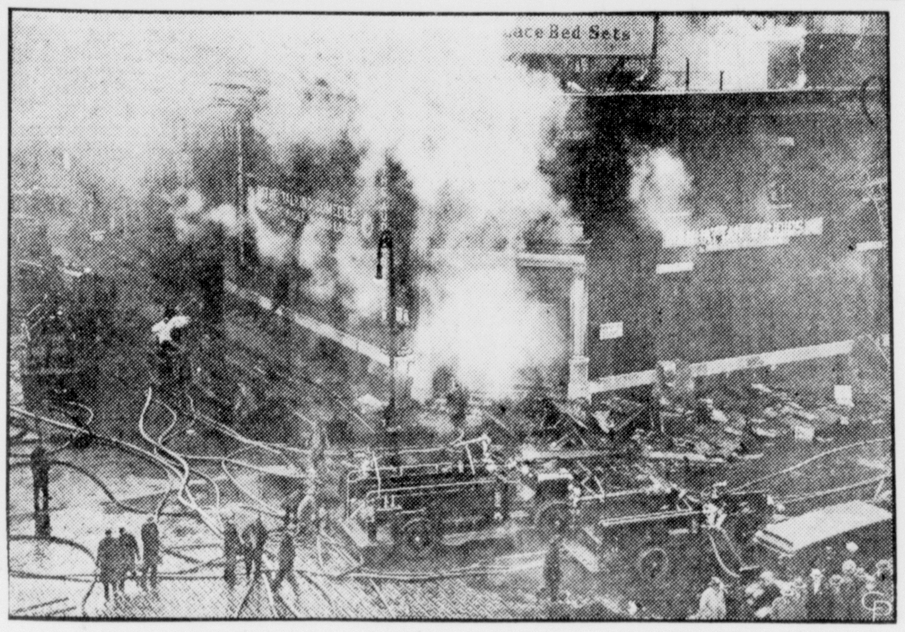
Nationalist forces also fared fell farther north, decisively defeating the rebel forces which were threatening to sweep down the Yangtse valley from Chuchow to Nanking.

Internal conditions in the Nationalist capital however, were reported to be unsettled, with disorderly elements taking advantage of the absence of many of the troops of the city's garrison at the front. Virtually all foreigners have been evacuated from Nanking.

Realization of the fact that the present rebel activities were something more than sporadic outbursts was brought home to the 60,000 foreigners living here when gendarmes protecting the international settlement were forced to fire over the heads of mobs of Chinese who tried to swarm across the boundary of the settlement from the Chapei district.

It was at first thought that the troops garrisoned in the city had rebelled. Rumors that Communists were to storm the north railroad station in Chapei resulted in disruption of railway service yesterday.

WORKERS IN MOVIE STUDIO KILLED BY FIRE



A series of rapid explosions, followed by a flood of flames caused loss of life in a movie studio in Harlem section of New York City. Talkie version of Vina Delmar's "Bad Girl" was being filmed at time of blasts. Photo shows general view of fire. Firemen had to don masks to combat it because of heavy smoke fumes from burning celluloid.

MILITIA AND STATE TROOPERS RESTORE ORDER AFTER BREAK

Eight Convicts And Guard Killed In Bloody Uprising

AUBURN, N. Y., Dec. 12.—Grim, brooding silence fell across battle-scarred Auburn prison today, following yesterday's bloody uprising during which nine were killed—eight convicts and the principal keeper, George A. Durnford—and twelve injured, one of whom is expected to die.

The revolt had been put down. Restrictions within the walls of the great oblong-shaped bastile which houses 1,556 prisoners were tightened. All the convicts and their cells had been thoroughly searched for firearms and weapons of all sorts. Additional emergency guards were on duty, patrolling the tiers of cells, and close watch was being maintained to quell any further incipient outbreaks.

Outside, before the walls of the gloomy granite structure built 112 years ago, a detachment of National Guardsmen and state troopers patrolled all gates and entrances. The public was kept back of established military lines, hundreds of persons impelled by curiosity having rushed to Auburn by motor and train. The newspapermen on the ground were informed the prison authorities would confer with them at 10:30 this morning.

Among those in the Auburn City Hospital were: Warden Edgar S. Jennings and several guards held with him as hostages during the six-hour battle yesterday during which hundreds of shots were exchanged between troops and convicts before the latter were finally subdued last evening by tear gas bombs and bullets.

A checkup by International News Service this morning revealed the following casualties.

The dead:

George A. Durnford, principal keeper, shot and killed by convicts at the outbreak of the rioting.

Henry Sullivan, a ringleader of the insurrection, a prisoner serving a twenty-one year "stretch," shot down by troopers while attempting to escape.

Perry Johnson, convict, serving a life sentence, killed attempting to escape with Sullivan.

Alexander Tucholder, a lifer, who acted as a spokesman for the rebels, shot and killed.

Luke J. Bonnell, prisoner serving thirty-year sentence, shot and killed.

Steve Pawlak, lifer, who was recaptured after the Auburn outbreak last July, shot and killed.

Steve Sporney, prisoner, serving fifteen year sentence, killed in final stage of yesterday's battle.

James Diancrasi, prisoner serving fifteen year sentence, shot and killed.

Ernest Pavesi, prisoner serving

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IOWA CAPITULATES TO CONFERENCE AND EXPELS 22 PLAYERS

Banned Athletes Were Benefitted From "Loan Fund"

IOWA CITY, Ia., Dec. 12.—Iowa University's intention of seeking re-admission in the Western Conference was regarded as a certainty today after the athletic board of control last night banned twenty-two athletes from further intercollegiate competition.

Complete capitulation to the demands of Big Ten members is seen in the board's action. The action was announced following a session which lasted from early afternoon until midnight and came as a complete surprise here. Resignation was expected instead.

Alumni, students, and faculty have been in a state of upset ever since the faculty committee of the Western Conference denied Iowa's plea for readmission last Saturday at Chicago.

The twenty-two athletes banned are believed to be those who benefited by the "belting loan fund" that was made the chief point of attack by the faculty committee last Saturday. It was on this point that the Iowa delegates failed to agree with the faculty committee Saturday.

Names of only five of the twenty-two athletes barred were made public. They include Oran Pape, football star of Dubuque, Ia.; Mike Farroh, halfback who last night was selected co-captain of the Iowa basketball team; Irving Nelson, football star of Omaha, Nebr.; Richard Affre, halfback and basketball player of Quincy, Ill., and Steward Lecka, football player of Independence, Mo.

Iowa refused o bow to one demand made by the conference representatives. This involved the right of the conference to dictate who is to comprise the Iowa Athletic staff.

In order to conform with conference rulings, officials decided to abandon plans for a football contest at Soldier Field, Chicago as well as further contracts, other than the two year agreement with Nebraska.

The board has given E. H. Lauer authority to select schools which Iowa will play. No football games with Iowa institutions will be scheduled, it was voted.

PAGING MR. CUPID!

DAN Cupid has apparently taken a prolonged vacation in so far as Greene County is concerned. During the last twelve days not a single marriage license has been granted or applied for at the license bureau in Probate Court. Records show that no licenses have been issued in December, the last one obtained being on November 29.

ALL'S RIGHT WITH WORLD

Santa Claus Arrives Aa Capital, Looking Thin But Hailed By 25,000 People

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Santa Claus took up residence in an igloo in the statehouse yard today following his sensational arrival before a crowd of approximately 25,000 persons here last night.

There was no snow on the ground so the veteran toymaker was forced to leave his reindeers and sled in his barns at the North Pole and make the journey by air.

His airplane arrived over the statehouse dome, which was bedecked with lighted Christmas bulbs, about 6:10 p. m., last night and then jumped from his huge tri-motored plane with a parachute.

A high wind blew Santa Claus across the Scioto River and over the west side where he landed amid some light and telephone wires. A taxicab driver rescued the kindly old man and rushed him to the statehouse.

Great was the consternation among the children of the west side. They thought that Santa might have been killed. That, indeed, would have been a terrific blow.

It was reported that Santa had decreed that a dummy should make the parachute jump and that a dummy made the spectacular performance. Such was really the case, but the thousands of children who crowded the statehouse yard and lawns where "keep off the grass" signs are posted, wouldn't be convinced.

A brilliant aerial pyrotechnical display featured the arrival of Kris Kringle, as all the little Dutch boys and girls call Santa.

Governor Myers Y. Cooper greeted the distinguished visitor, who is the proprietor of a great toy shop in the Arctic regions. He thanked Santa Claus for coming and extended his wishes that "all people of the commonwealth of Ohio enjoy a merry, merry Christmas."

It was the greatest community celebration ever held in Columbus. Young and old, alike, were present. Little girls and boys, wrapped warmly in bundling clothes, young flappers with their fur coats and thin stockings and high heels, little mothers with their blanket-wrapped infants, sedate young husbands, aged grandmothers and grandfathers were among the huge assembly.

The writer had the good fortune to stand near two little boys, who were twins. Both were dressed in aviators uniforms, with the leather breeches, shining boots, leather coat and helmet and they carried swanky little walking sticks.

The enjoyment which they obtained from the performance was great and it was well worth while to stage the celebration if only those two little boys were there.

"Santa Claus is really up there," remarked one when he saw the lighted plane drop flares.

The second nodded assent and mumbled, "I'm going to be good—until Christmas, anyhow."

The scribe thought Santa was a little thin. His red suit, with its white fur trimmings, didn't seem to fit so snugly as it did last year. The trip from the North Pole in an airplane must have been very trying for Herr Claus.

Hawkers took advantage of the demonstration. There were many present. Peanuts and hot popcorn were on sale. Little trick monkeys who danced a merry jig were ballyhooed and jolly-paunched Santa Claus balloons were sold. The hawkers did a rushing business.

BLAME MURDER ON LONG FEUD

PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 12. — The feud that has held Pueblo and southern Colorado in its grasp for many years today had added another death to its bloody list with the shooting in broad daylight of Sam Solando as he stood in front of a mid-town poolroom. Soldano died instantly.

The assassins threw away their guns and sped away in a heavily curtained automobile.

John Gormandson, who was sitting inside the poolhall, was wounded in the chest by one of the bullets.

Police were without clues, but are certain the murder had its origin in the Mafia warfare that has taken at least eighteen lives in Pueblo and southern colorado during the last eight years.

The murder of Soldano was the first outbreak since Mary and Ralph Soldano were "taken for a ride" last April, and died without telling who shot them.

AGED PRINTER DIES

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 12.—Simon P. Behrends, who was a familiar figure in Springfield print shops for sixty-one years and who was one of the founders of the local typographical union, is dead here today, having succumbed to a heart attack. Behrends was 71 years of age and he was a "printer's devil" when only 10 years old.

FINANCIER'S COUNTRY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE THURSDAY

CHARDON, O., Dec. 12.—Fire, which is believed to have broken out from an overheated furnace, completely destroyed the country residence of Mason B. McLaughlin, well-known financier and former vice president of the White Motor Co., three miles from here today.

Damages were estimated at more than $50,000. The mansion itself was said to be worth at least $35,000. Valuable antiques which had been collected from foreign lands by the McLaughlin family were totally destroyed.

The Chardon fire department, which was called to the scene was forced to resort to the bucket brigade system in fighting the fire since there were no hydrants with which to use fire hose in bringing the blaze under control. Bucket after bucket of water from a nearby well was passed to the burning home in a futile effort to curb the blaze.

McLaughlin, who escaped from the house through a window, said he believed the fire started from an overheated furnace.

Mrs. McLaughlin, wife of the financier, is visiting in Philadelphia.

FEDERAL PRISONER COMMITS SUICIDE

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Walter Brooks, 38, a federal prisoner in the county jail here, committed suicide today by taking his belt and hanging himself from a water pipe over his cell door.

Brooks had been arrested by federal agents on a narcotic charge. He had served a light term on a similar charge recently.

He was the son of J. S. Brooks, an accountant in the state industrial department and former Athens County school teacher.

PARENTS SEEKING LOST DAUGHTER

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va., Dec. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel White today requested the aid of International News Service and Ohio Newspapers in their search for their 15-year-old daughter, Ina, who has been missing since October 26.

The girl, according to the parents, has not been seen nor heard from since. She is five feet tall, weighs 105 pounds, has black eyes, dark hair and a dark complexion.

The address of the White family here is 416 Viand Street.

UTILITY STOCKS LEAD THURSDAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Public utility stocks were the leaders in an irregular market, with extremely narrow price changes, at the opening today. Industrial stocks were quiet and rails inactive, with Alleghany down 1-4 at 26 1-4; Baltimore and Ohio up 7-8 at 119; Katy unchanged at 46; Union Pacific down 1 1-4 at 221 3-4.

Standard Gas was up 1 3-4 at 135; American and Foreign Power up 1 1-4 at 97 3-4; American Waterworks up 1-2 at 101 1-2; Consol Gas up 1-2 at 102 1-2.

SLAYING SOLUTION STILL MYSTERY AS CONFESSION DENIED

Suspect Is Adjudged Insane; Case Is Again Closed

OTTAWA, O., Dec. 12.—With just fifteen months elapsed since the slaying of Mrs. Mary Hemler, 20-year-old comely divorcee, the mystery of her murder at Gilboa, near here, was closed for a fourth time today when papers were prepared for the committment of Silas P. Wagner, 56, a bachelor farmhand, to the Hancock County Infirmary.

Wagner will be held at that institution until a place can be found for him at the Columbus State Hospital for the Insane, which is now overcrowded.

The man last week confessed to the murder of Mrs. Hemler, but his confession was later found to be the raving of a depraved mind. He was adjudged insane at a sanity test held before Judge William George in Probate Court here.

He first said he had confessed to the murder because a white-clad spirit of Mrs. Hemler appeared nightly at his bed side. He later denied that and slowly denied the contents of his confession, in which he said he had beaten Mrs. Hemler to death with a can of malt.

With Wagner's case disposed of, the murder mystery is no nearer to a solution than when Mrs. Hemler's half-clad and bruised body was found floating in the Blanchard River in the rear of her home at Gilboa. The case has been reopened three times, but all investigations have been fruitless.

COLUMBUS POLICE SEEK TWO BANDITS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—With renewed vigor, police today sought to curb the hold-up epidemic here. Six holdups were staged last night, and five of them are believed to be the actions of two bandits. The two robbed a taxi-cab driver of his automobile and then held up four filling stations within half an hour. Loot was small. There has been so many filling station robberies recently that attendants only keep small sums with them.

AND MORE RAIN

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Today's weather forecast: Ohio, rain tonight and Friday. Slowly rising temperatures.

HOME LIGHTING CONTEST WILL NOT MEAN LARGE EXPENDITURES

A. V. Miller, Secretary, Xenia Retail Merchants Ass'n., Xenia, Ohio,

Dear Sir:

Kindly enter me in the Christmas Home Lighting Contest. I have read the rules of the contest and agree to them and promise to abide by the decision of the judges.

Name .....

Address .....

Phone Number .....

Favorable comments followed announcemeat yesterday that the Xenia Retail Merchants Association is sponsoring the first Christmas Home Lighting contest for Xenia.

Merchants pointed out Thursday that it is not necessary to spend large sums for illuminating and decorating purposes, the principal idea being to make effective and artistic displays. The organization also emphasized that all decoration must be on the outside, the contest being open to exterior decorating only.

Interior decorations, while having some effect as a background, will not be considered by the judges. A list of prizes to be warded winners, is now being compiled and will be published soon. The purpose of the contest is to make Xenia a city of illuminated and decorated homes at Christmas time and merchants believe the home decoration idea will tie in with the Christmas tree street decorations which have long won favorable comment for Xenia.

Entrants may fill out the blank form in connection with this story so that proper registration and judging may be made, and turn it in to A. V. Miller, secretary of the Xenia Retail Merchants Association. The only other stipulation is that all installations must be left burning from dusk until 10 p. m. beginning December 24 and continuing until January 1.

Prize winners here will be entered in competition in a national contest. Competent and impartial judges will decide the winners and announce the prizes.

TWO ARRESTED DURING PROBE OF PATHE FIRE

Officials Accused Of Manslaughter In New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Following hours of questioning by Police Commissioner Grover A. Whalen, John C. Flynn, vice president of the Pathe Film Company, and Henry Lalley, production manager, were arrested today on charges growing out of the destructive fire which swept the Pathe Manhattan film studio here costing the lives of four girls and six men.

Flynn and Lalley were held as violators of section 1052 of the New York criminal code in which "excusable manslaughter" and culpable negligence are involved.

The police said between 50,000 and 100,000 feet of film was stored by the company in a room not fire proof, when under the law they were not allowed to keep more than 5,000 feet in such a room.

WOMAN FOUND GUILTY

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Rejecting her appeal, the Ohio supreme court, in a decision made public today, upheld the action of the Richland County courts which found Mary J. Keeler, Mansfield, guilty of performing an illegal operation.

SALON ATTEMPTS TO SHOW ORIGINAL DRY STATES REALLY WET

Representatives Of Attacked States Fighting Back

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Congress was in the throes of a new and unusual row over prohibition today as the result of the announcement of Rep. John S. Schafer (R) of Wisconsin that he will undertake to prove liquor law violations are rampant in the original dry states of the west and south.

Feeling that the reputations of their states for law enforcement are being assailed by the militant Wisconsin senator, house dry leaders from the west and south flared back today and prepared to meet him on his own ground.

Schafer declared that months of investigation have revealed that many of the so-called "dry states" are wetter than the so-called "wet states."

"I have assembled official data and statistics obtained from every state in the union, which I will present to the congress and the American people," said Schafer.

"These figures indicate an almost unbelievable increase in arrests for intoxication, for driving automobiles while intoxicated, for manufacture and sale of liquor. They will show remarkable increases in violations of the law in the so-called dry states, whose representatives in congress are so intent upon drying up the big cities of the country."

BOWMAN MANAGER OF NEW STADIUM

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—John F. Bowman has been named manager of the Chicago Stadium, it was announced today by President Sheldon Clark.

Bowman will assume the duties next month from which Paddy Harmon recently was ousted. Sidney Strotz, who had been acting as secretary and general manager, will continue in nis duties as secretary and treasurer of the organization, it was announced.

MODERN JUDAISM WINS

Supreme Court Decision Is Defeat For Orthodox Jews In Cleveland

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.—Modern Judaism today had scored a legal victory over the Orthodox or traditional Jewish faith.

The Ohio supreme court handed down a decision denying Orthodox members of the Anshe Emeth Beth Tephilo congregation, of Cleveland, relief from the controlling group in the church, which allegedly has "gone modern."

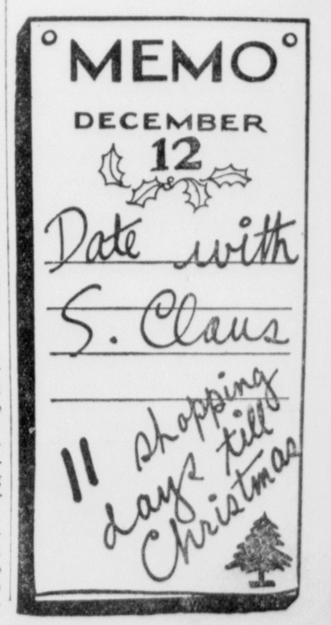
Abraham Katz, and six other members of the Orthodox group, had filed suit to prevent appropriation of the church's property by the "modern" group.

In urging review of the case by the state's highest tribunal, Katz contended that "all of the Jewish citizens of Ohio are interested."

Thirty-eight alleged instances of violation of the Orthodox creeds by Rabbi Solomon Goldman were cited.

Among other things, it was charged that the rabbi was allowed to kiss the bride after marriage ceremonies in violation of the Orthodox creed.

The seating of men and women together during church services was also alleged, and it was contended that Rabbi Goldman ridiculed many great figures of Israel in his sermons and conversations.



THROUGH THE MICROPHONE

BY BROADCASTER

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The answer to the oft-repeated question, "Is interest in radio broadcasting waning?" is effectively and incidentally negatively answered in the news received here from station WENR of Chicago.

This station, anxious, to determine definitely the influence and prestige of the radio, recently conducted a novel and comprehensive test that reached close to 700,000 persons in approximately eighteen states.

Three different compositions were read over the air simultaneously with the request that listeners pick out and name the subjects that each of the three speakers were reading in unison. These compositions, by the way, were the story of "Goldilocks and the Three Bears," a dissertation on "Eggs" and "The Night Before Christmas."

On the four days following the broadcast, the station received a total of 6,678 letters from the members of its listening audience. From these figures it can be concluded that if only one listener in 100 wrote in, there was a listening audience of close to three-quarters of a million at the time of the broadcast.

The value of this test was further enhanced by the fact that it was broadcast during the daylight hours when the range of a station is materially reduced and the number of listeners is naturally limited. Moreover, there were no prizes offered or other inducements to urge the listener to write in his conclusions.

The critics who declare that broadcasting is "only a passing fancy" will have to guess again.

The great majority of broadcasting companies in the United States are trying to do their part towards maintaining prosperity by inviting various business leaders to deliver short talks on the present industrial and financial situation. A surprising willingness to accept the broadcasters' invitations has been shown by the business leaders.

Sales of radio equipment during the first three quarters of 1929 reached a total of $360,897,207, with the biggest quarter of the year yet to be heard from, during which, in past years, 40 per cent of the industry's sales are usually made, according to figures deduced from the Department of Commerce quarterly survey of dealer stocks and sales, compiled with the cooperation of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association. An analysis of the survey made by Edgar H. Felix, radio consultant to the Association, further indicates that during the last quarter of the year, dealers need achieve only 42 per cent of the total sales indicated by their performance up to October 1, to equal last year's sales totals, an all-time record for the industry. The sales for the third quarter were 14 per cent ahead of those for the corresponding quarter of last year.

The stocks of receiving sets in the hands of dealers on October 1, 1929, averaged 15 per dealer, as compared with 13 at the same date last year. This modest increase of stocks is more than offset by recent price reductions and conservative buying for the Christmas trade, assuring a healthy dealer position. Manufacturers, likewise, have carefully adjusted production to consumer sales in spite of increased manufacturing facilities, with the result that well managed companies are in an ideal position, so far as inventories are concerned.

Al Protzman, sound engineer for the Fox Film Corporation with headquarters in Hollywood, is visiting the New York studios of the National Broadcasting Company—Gertrude Forster, well known "mike" star, recently appeared as guest soloist with the Reading Symphony Orchestra — Mayor James J. Walker of New York admits he is a radio fan—most of the big broadcasters have already completed arrangements for their Christmas Eve and Christmas Day broadcasts—Several Cuban radio stations have been ordered to cease broadcasting after 10:30 p. m. so as not to interfere with the reception of American programs—Station CKGW of Toronto, Canada, has been added to the National Broadcasting chain—Marjorie Ole-

Director.

SEEK ECONOMICAL WAY TO USE COALS

COLUMBUS, Dec. 12.—Facilities of the engineering experiment station, Ohio State University, are being mobilized to find the most economical ways to use Ohio coals.

In that connection, H. M. Faust, a graduate of the university has just been appointed research engineer in the station. He will make a thorough study of combustion as part of the Ohio coal investigation project being carried on by the station.

Faust was graduated here in mechanical engineering in 1923, and a year later received the degree of ing fellowship here. During that time he had an important part in the study of the effect on stratification of an engineering experiment bulletin under that title.

NEW BURLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carr, Mr. and Mrs. David Noggle were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stanley and son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips near Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKinney and daughters Freda, Betty Wilma and Carolyn, and David Turner were guests of Mrs. Sylvia Weaver at Jamestown on Sunday of last week.

Miss Esther Hunt of near Wilmington, spent the week with her Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conklin of Sabina spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stanley.

The Sunshine Band held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Rhea Jeanette and Ruth Eleanor Blair. A social time was enjoyed by the children.

Miss Opal Harner of near Spring Valley was the guest of Miss Helen Haines Thursday night.

Mrs. Anna Fields, Mrs. Sarah Sprow of Wilmington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chenoweth and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Alexander and family of Spring Valley and Mrs. Mary Lemar were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. DeHaven Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Bogan of near Hillsboro was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bogan and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wilson the past week.

David Turner is spending the Special meetings are still in progress at the Friends Church.

Rev. Kilmer is holding a series of meetings at the Sharon M. E. Church.

PLENTY OF ACTION!

MARION, O., Dec. 1. — The bell clanged in the Marion fire station.

Two fire companies and a ladder truck rushed to box number 26, where the alarm had been turned in.

A false alarm they were told. An elderly gentleman, who had just moved to the city, mistook the fire box for a mail box, it was explained.

A THREE DAYS COUGH IS YOUR DANGER SIGNAL

Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of coughs from colds, bronchitis and minor forms of bronchial irritations, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (adv.)

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FOR THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SALE

MAKE THIS YOUR Christmas Store

CANDY

CUT RATE PRICES

CHRISTMAS CANDIES

Special Low Prices On

Hard Mixed Candy	19c per lb.
French Creams Ass't	19c per lb.
Sunbright Candies	29c per lb.
Peppermint Sticks	75c per box
Thinshell Filled Candy	1-lb. jar 49c
Thinshell Filled Candy	3-lb. jar 98c
Chocolate Drops	29c per lb.
Chocolate, Cocoanut Spiders	39c per lb.
Chicken Bones	1-lb. tins 49c
5-Lb. Box Hand-Dipped Chocolates	$1.98
3-Lb. Box Hand-Dipped Chocolates	$1.49
Old-Fashioned Gum Drops	29c per lb.

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1-Lb. Boxes 65c. And 2-Lb. Boxes $1.30

Sale of Christmas Cards



Each card in this assortment is individual; no two cards are alike. Each assortment consists of 15 cards with interlined envelopes of high grade tissue harmonizing with the beautiful sketches and coloring of its respective card.

49c

SMOKE UP!

Lucky Strikes or Old Golds, carton	$1.14
Camels or Chesterfields, carton	$1.17
Prince Albert, 8-oz. tins	49c
Prince Albert, 16-oz. tins	95c
Ronson Lighters, in leather	$4.95
Knapp Monarch Lighter	$1.98
Edgeworth, 8-oz. tins	61c
Velvet, 8-oz. tins	49c
Velvet, 16-oz. tins	95c

Blue Boar Humidor	$3.69
Triple Silver-plated Nasco Lighter	$1.98
Silver Cigarette box	79c
Special Mogul Deal	$1.98
10c Revelation Cigar, box of 25	$1.25
10c La Palina, box of 25	$1.89
10c El Verso, box of 25	$1.89
Italian Briar Pipes, all shapes	50c
Presto-Pal Ash Tray	49c

Special Gift Offerings

Bicycle Playing Cards
Linen finish, assorted backs.
39c

Military Set
Brushes and comb, with genuine ebony back.
$3.89

Eastman Hawkeye Camera
No. 2A size. Takes pictures 2 1-2x4 1-4.
$1.49

Christmas Tree Lights
Complete with eight Mazda bulbs.
98c

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JOINT MEETING HELD AT MRS. LEWIS' HOME

A joint meeting of the Ladies Aid and Missionary Society of the United Brethren Church was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Lewis, S. Detroit St., Wednesday afternoon.

There was a large attendance and the meeting was opened with the president of the Ladies Aid, Mrs. Rosa Reese, presiding. A short business session followed.

Mrs. C. E. Trubee, president of the Missionary Society, presided for the latter part of the program. The Candle Lighting Service was used. Those taking part in the service were: "Love," Mrs. John Acton; "Humility," Mrs. Oscar Pidgeon; "Self-Sacrifice," Mrs. George Luttrell; "Spirit of Giving," Mrs. Crumrine; "Joy and Beauty," Mrs. William Phillips; "Peace," Mrs. Butler; "Friendship," Mrs. S. Brill; "Good-Will," Mrs. Rosa Reese and "Service and Brotherhood," Mrs. Harry Stephens.

A social hour followed and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Acton, served a dainty refreshment course.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY.

Members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Reformed Church met in the parlors of the church Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Eavey was in charge of the devotional service and was assisted by Mrs. Frances Evans and Mrs. L. L. Trader. Special emphasis was used on the Christmas season in other lands. Christmas carols were sung by Mrs. Eavey, Mrs. Clarence Fisher, Mrs. Raymond Wolf and Mrs. Edwin Buck.

A chapter from the study book, "Jerusalem to Jerusalem" was interestingly ready by Mrs. C. L. Jobe. The study was followed by a short business session.

There were twenty-six members and five visitors present. A social hour was held at the close of the meeting and a dainty refreshment course served. Decorations of red and green in keeping with the Christmas season were used. The hostesses were: Mrs. H. E. Schmidt, Mrs. L. S. Barnes and Mrs. Ross Harner.

McCLELLAND W. C. T. U. HAS MEETING WEDNESDAY.

Mrs. Lawrence Manor, north of Frebeins, delightfully entertained members of the McClelland W. C. T. U. at her home Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting opened with a devotional period in charge of Mrs. Myrtle Manor. Fifteen members answered roll call with Bible verses. There were two visitors present.

Mrs. Hazel Manor gave a report of the state convention at Findlay last summer and was followed by a pageant on "Peace", the topic of the afternoon, under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Weiss.

During a short business session which followed the program, members voted to piece and make a comfort. Plans were also made for an all-day meeting to be held the second Wednesday in January and will be held at the home of Mrs. Flint Manor.

The hostess was assisted in serving a light refreshment course during the social hour, by Mrs. Sarah Rice and Mrs. Orda Jacobs.

PHI DELTS ENTERTAIN FOR "TIP-TOP REVUE" CAST

Members of Ohio Beta Beta Chapter, Phi Delta Kappa Fraternity, entertained with a dance at Elks' Hall, Wednesday evening, for the pleasure of members of the cast and assisting staff of the recent musical comedy hit, "The Tip-Top Revue," given at the Xenia Opera House.

About fifty couples attended the dance. The Antioch Cosmopolitan Band furnished the music.

Mr. Walter Wilson, coach at Xenia Central High School, is confined to his home on E. Second St., being ill with the grip. His condition is reported improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beal, near Jamestown, are announcing the birth of a son, Wednesday. The baby has not been named.

Misses Jean B. Elwell and Maud Albright, E. Church St., left Friday morning by motor for Longbeach, Fla., where they will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McElwain, Jamestown, left Wednesday morning for Kanas City, Mo., being called there because of the serious illness of Mr. McElwain's father, Mr. Asbury McElwain.

Preceding funeral services arranged for 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at Trinity M. E. Church, brief services for Mrs. Ada Irene Peterson McKay, 77, widow of Mr. George Albert McKay, who was former Greene County surveyor for more than twenty years, will be held at the residence, 110 W. Second St., at 1:30 p. m. Saturday. Friends may call at the home anytime Friday afternoon and evening. Burial will be made in Woodland Cemetery.

A Christmas dance sponsored by members of the Elks Lodge, will be given at the Elks' Hall Wednesday evening, December 18. The Antioch Cosmopolitan Band will furnish music for dancing.

Mrs. Russell Stingley, Spring Valley, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident on the Cincinnati Pike some time ago, was removed from McClellan Hospital to her home, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Marguerite Reigel, who underwent an operation for the removal of her appendix at McClellan hospital some time ago, was removed to her home on E. Second St., Thursday.

Trinity M. E. Church Choir will meet for rehearsal Friday evening at 7 o'clock, the time having been changed. Choirs uniting in the Christmas music at Trinity Church are urgently requested to attend this rehearsal, which will begin promptly at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. James Wilson III will meet with the primary department of the First Presbyterian Church, Friday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock at the church for rehearsal.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church will hold its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. John Beatty, N. Detroit St., Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to attend and bring a gift for the Christmas box. A program of special music is being arranged and a talk on her visit to Marcy Center in Chicago will be given by Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. H. W. Owens, W. Third St., who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at McClellan Hospital three weeks ago, was removed Thursday from the hospital to the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Higgins, S. King St.

Mrs. M. T. Kelly, Covington, Va., spent Sunday in this city with her brother-in-law, Mr. A. P. Neff, Dayton Ave. She left for Wooster, Monday morning, where she will spend a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelly.

City Commission will meet at City Hall, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, for the regular bimonthly meeting. All members are urged to be in attendance.

Having been transferred to territory that includes Greene, Warren and Butler Counties, with headquarters at Xenia, Mr. Ralph Ryan, district manager of the Shell Petroleum Co., has moved with his family from Troy to this city.

Mr. John Gibney, N. Galloway St., will leave Saturday morning for Cleveland where he will spend the week end with former class mates of University School. While ther, he will attend the formal dance which is given annually for the football squad.

Dr. and Mrs. I. H. MacKinnon, New York City, left for the East Wednesday after spending a few days here as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Kester, N. King St.

Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Bassinger and Mrs. Henry Seeber, all of Lima, were guests of Mrs. Anna M. Townsley, of Cedarville, Tuesday.

The second meeting of the nutrition project, "Attractive Desserts" will be held at the home of Mrs. Ervin Harner, 134 W. Church St., Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. All women interested in the project are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

The regular meeting of Mrs. J. T. Charter's Sunday School Class of the First M. E. Church, will be held at the home of Mrs. Zack Reynolds, N. Detroit St., Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and bring a toy for the Christmas box.

OPERA SECRETS BARED?

Mme. Frances Olda Writes Of Twenty-Two Years Behind The Scenes



Mme. Frances Alda

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Whether or not Mme. Frances Alda will tell "all" about the Metropolitan opera is a question debated in the best operatic circles these days.

Mme. Alda, deserting opera for the radio, until last year was the wife of Giulio Gatti-Casazza, director of the Metropolitan opera. Then she obtained a divorce.

Now Mme. Alda is writing a book of her twenty-two years' experience at the opera. It will be ready in the spring, following completion of her last season at the Metropolitan.

Title Changed

"I had intended calling the book 'Gatti-Casazza's Wife,' Mme. Alda said. But the title is to be "Coming of Age With the Metropolitan."

"It is written, however, from the point of view of Gatti-Casazza's wife," Mme. Alda added. "I have selected a number of details behind the scenes at the Metropolitan which I think are of the greatest interest." Her eyes flashed.

Secrets

"How many of those who attend the opera know that one of the popular operas always is sung one-half tone lower than it should be—to accommodate a favorite principal who cannot reach the high notes?" Mme. Alda went on. "And why, to the bewilderment of the public, are some principals given certain roles when other singers are more suitable?"

All of which is accentuated by the collapse and resignation of Josef Rosenstock, conductor brought from Germany for Wagnerian operas after conducting only three times.

Mme. Alda is singing six Puccini operas over the radio—one a month.

RATE REDUCED

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The Bank of England today announced the reduction of its rediscount rate from 5½ per cent to 5 per cent. Further reduction from the 5½ per cent rate to which the bank rate was reduced on Nov. 21 was regarded here as evidence of gradual readjustment of financial conditions and the flow of gold between the United States and Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Fetz, N. King St., have as their guest, Miss Myrtle Olson, Duluth, Minn., who arrived here Thursday morning for several days visit.

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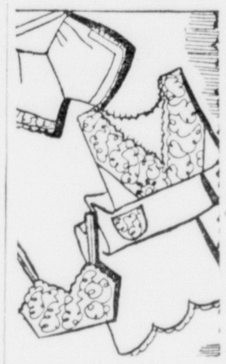
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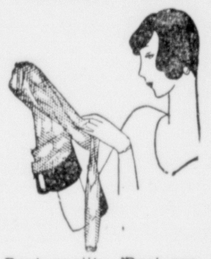
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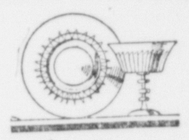
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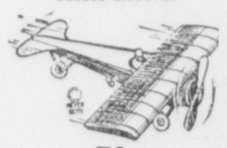
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THE LIVING BREAD—I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever: and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.—John 6:51.

COMMISSIONS

"A commission message!" was Congressman Garner's comment, after reading Mr. Hoover's first annual communication to the congress. The frequency with which the word "commission" appears in the message justifies that pleasantry; and it may, with the assistance of Mr. Hoover's frequent employment of the word outside of messages, assure him a place in history as the commission president. That would not in itself be discreditable. Condemnation of commissions can be carried too far, as easily as commissions can be. They promise much; and, while waiting for the fulfillment, we are content to raise only the question of the need for so many of them, allowing Mr. Hoover's political antagonists to pursue the malign apparitions they alone apparently discern in what they incorrectly dub commission government.

The unprecedented number of commissions Mr. Hoover has appointed or suggested appointing indicates primarily that he is actively interested in an unprecedently wide range of public questions. We do not suspect him of using such agencies as royal commissions are sometimes used in Great Britain, as means of assuaging public apprehension or stilling popular clamor until a crisis has passed and then burying interest in it under a ton of paper and ink. We 3are confident that each of the commissions and committees he has appointed represents a sincere and earnest desire on Mr. Hoover's part to get to the bottom of a public question, with a view to doing something about it. What we can't see is why so many extra-governmental agencies are necessary to ferret out facts that ought to be obtainable from the departments presided over by the gentlemen who meet him twice a week around the cabinet table.

The only possible reason for relieving the departments of this work is lack of brains or lack of time in the departments concerned. A departments concerned. A departmental staff obviously hasn't the time, apart from its regular duties, to count the roads running into Canada or Mexico in order to explain the existence of 32,000 blind pigs in New York City; but it is highly probable that Attorney-General Mitchell and his staff have both the time and the facts to give Mr. Hoover a workable idea of what is wrong with prohibition and general law enforcement. Similarly, what the federal government can do to promote education, what must be done to eradicate illiteracy, what disposition shall be made of the public domain, what latitude shall be allowed in branch banking, all questions which Mr. Hoover is having or would have examined by commissions or committees, are matters falling within the knowledge of various departments already in existence in Washington and on the national payroll. Their personnel might be better employed in digging up facts for the White House than in idly kicking its heels against the day it will retire on a pension. As for brains, if the departments haven't them, they ought to; for the country pays enough in salaries to command as much gray matter as the average commission provides.

DECIDEDLY PUZZLING

The rioting growing out of a strike of customs officials at Port au Prince, which has necessitated imposition of martial law by the American marines and the Haitien constabulary acting together, calls attention to a paragraph in President Hoover's annual message. Discussing the presence of marines in other countries, the President intimated that the prospect for reduction of the number in Nicaragua is bright, but added: "In Haiti we have about 700 marines, but it is a much more difficult problem, the solution of which is still obscure. If congress approves, I shall dispatch a commission to Haiti to review and study the matter in an endeavor to arrive at some more definite policy than at present."

The Haitian situation unquestionably is very puzzling. Since the United States intervened in the country and placed marines there, a new era of peace and prosperity has succeeded a long period of bloody revolutionary activties under which the land was sinking further and further into savagery. The stability of the government, the social security even in remote places, and the general condition of quiet, are, however, only a thin veneer beneath which the ancient barbarous instincts and impulses still surge, and which at times, is insufficient to prevent return to the practices of bloody and licentious paganism. There is no real reason to suppose that, lacking the presence of the restraining authority of the United States, the existing generally peaceful condition would last six months.

After keeping track of the parachute jumping records, we have about reached the conclusion that we prefer to risk an operation for appendicitis.

The decision regarding Mr. Vare was so much a foregone conclusion that it is hard work to scare up even passing interest in the actual event.

Bo-Broadway

By JOSEPH VAN RAALTE

ALWAYS JOURNEYED APART

Leave the movies and the commissioner for a moment and consider the Shuberts, who have developed almost a civic conscience so far as their organization is concerned. This was manifested the other day when the two brothers journeyed to Atlantic City to witness the try-out of one of their new productions.

Although they could have taken the same train to the delighttul resort which theatrical managers do their best to spoil by first exhibiting their new productions there, Lee took one train and Jake another.

Then it was learned that the brothers, if possible never travel on the same train. Sometimes when it has been absolutely necessary for them to violate this rule they use different Pullmans. Their organization is so peculiarly pivoted upon a centralized control exercised by the pair that they divide the hazards of travel by journeying apart. The same principle is applied to any sort of vehicular journeying.

THE BUSY EDDIE

Eddie Cantor's dressing room, when he is playing on Broadway, is a cross between a social center and a business office. He has a phone installed and one or two stenographers at hand to assist him in his business transactions with producers, song writers, men seeking endorsements, real estate agents, playrights, librettists, composers and the army of the ragtag that spend their lives wallowing in the wake of celebrities.

Recently a stage hand happened to drift in on some errand and he and Cantor got talking. One word led to another and the stage hand remarked in passing that he had difficulty in saving any of his wage scale.

"I'll tell you how I got my start," said Eddie. "I adopted the budget system, you know, dividing my money into savings, investments, recreations, living expenses—"

And he went on for ten of the valuable minutes which he had no difficulty in disposing of for much money to instruct the humble stage hand in the gentle art of budgeting his income.

THE WAY of the WORLD

By GROVE PATTERSON

BOREDOM

Boredom is a complaint frequently heard. We crave entertainment and are bored when we don't get it. We avoid some people because we fear we shall be bored. Mostly we are bored because we haven't enough to do or because what we do is not sufficiently interesting. For all of these reactions we can blame only ourselves. Almost everything is interesting if we approach it in the right frame of mind. If we look upon any activity as drudgery, as incapable of producing interest, as just something to be got through with, we shall be bored much of the time. But if we approach every human being with curiosity and see adventure in every job we can pack life full of interest whether we live in the largest city in the world or a cross-roads village.

AS TO BEING MODERN

Some after dinner speaker, seeking to be smart, says the trouble with boys today is that too many woodsheds have been turned into garages. He says the best board of laugh sympathetically when someeducation is a shingle. Most of us one compares youthful antics of today with the bicycle product of the gay nineties. Indeed there is a feeling on the part of many that old days, old customs were better. We shy away from modern inventions and improvements as though they had brought something evil or at least of doubtful value into the world. There is no basis for such opinion. Modern life has given us vastly more to do with. If we have sense enough to take advantage of modern improvements, we should make a better, finer job of living than men have ever made in human history.

Let's not be afraid of invention, of modern ideas, of a changed world, but let's study ourselves and the new world in order to do a vastly better job with our improved facilities.

MACHINES

Students of mankind since John Ruskin have voiced the fear of machines. They have thought that because man could get a hundred times more done in an hour with modern machines than he could do by hand in the old days, he was losing something out of his life, losing his soul. It is true that a man who does nothing for eight hours but screw a nut on a bolt, and does that month in and month out, may not be learning very much in the way of improved workmanship. On the other hand, with that kind of a job, his mind is released. His imagination is free. He is in position to do sound and productive thinking if he is intelligent enough. The job isn't killing him or necessarily hurting him. If he loses out in his intellectual development it is for reasons that lie deeper than his nut-bolt job.

Who's Who and Timely Views

RHODE ISLAND DESCRIBED AS PROSPEROUS

By NORMAN S. CASE
Governor of Rhode Island

Norman Stanley Case was born at Providence, R. I., Oct. 11, 1888. He is a graduate of Brown university, later studying law at Harvard and Boston universities. He was admitted to the bar in 1911. From 1914 to 1918 he was a member of the city council of Providence. He was elected lieutenant governor of Rhode Island in 1927 and succeeded Governor Ponthier in office when the latter died in 1928. In 1916 he served on the Mexican border and later in France during the World war.

Rhode Island is at the dawn of another period of activity that will be helpful to our sister states. The 12-month nearing its close marks a record of achievement in my state.

Rhode Island bank statements show continued increasing business. Savings deposits increase represents approximately $7,000,000 over last year. Since the department was established in 1908 the increase in this branch of banking represents 214 per cent.

I understand our export trade is good. I wish it were in greater volume. Labor appears to be fairly well employed.

We have opened to public use one of the largest suspension bridges in the country. This structure connects the island of Rhode Island, on which Newport is located, with the mainland at Bristol. Its cost was approximately $4,000,000.

During the coming year Washington bridge, connecting Providence and East Providence, will be ready for public travel. This work of art in masonry and steel, when completed, will have cost about $3,500,000.

Our 1929 highway improvements show an expenditure of from $3,500,000 to $4,000,000.

Home-building continues throughout my state. Evidence of this is to be found on every artery of travel. Developments of short properties have been of real import.

Our tourist business for the past summer, I believe, was in greater volume than at any time in the state's history. We are bound to have an increase in 1930.

A few months since a committee of the New England council issued a report on New England power, communities were told that unity of action is a necessity for proper growth and introduction of utilities. Our metropolitan park system is reaching out in many directions. Acres have been added to the public recreation spots and further additions are in the works.

We are engaged in building a state airport. Expansion of rail facilities are promised.

We are adjusting ourselves to ever-changing conditions, growing faster than ever before, and in our growth we are lending substantial assistance to all New England.

WAITING FOR THE YULE TIDE



How To Achieve Beauty

By MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

The most eloquent and speaking part of the human body is the hand. It is the most conspicuous member, the most noticeable, and it is truly merciless in its revelation of character, habits—and what is mores erious—age.

You can easily be mastered by your hands. They can make you feel ill at ease, stupid and awkward if you allow them to. On the other hand, they can serve you in fact, they can very simply be used to enhance every bit of charm or attraction you have.

When I once stayed at a well-known house which ranks as one of "the stately homes of England," I found myself lost in rapture over two very fine Vandyck portraits among other ancestral treasures of my host and hostess. The sight of these pictures made me really realize how beautiful hands could be. My host afterwards told me that the women of his family throughout generations were famed for lovely hands, and he also told me that Vandyck loved to paint hands, and that if any of his sitters had ugly hands, he would either use a pose which hid them, or he would paint in some one else's hands. If you ever want to know what really exquisite, full-of-expression hands are like, look at a Vandyck picture.

The fact that you are a worker is no excuse for neglecting your hands—but rather a special reason why you should give them the best care. Hand gestures are always fascinating and elegant, but you must have attractive hands. If you are conversing with somebody, and you wish to emphasize a point, hand movement is a tremendous help, because it not only is very expressive, but it draws attention to the fact that you have a pretty hand.

I always insist on a great deal of hand massage with a good cream, and plenty of hand exercise. Do this every night, and whether your hands are of the useful-looking type, the long-fingered, graceful kind, or the soft, fluttery variety you are perfectly safe to use them for decorative purposes. With hand gestures, however, one should be very careful not to overdo them, because overdone hand flutters and movements are the most ludicrous kind of affection.

Do not, I beg of you, wear a ring because it is a ring and meant to be worn on a hand. Make perfectly certain that it is meant for your hand, because your hand is quite different from anyone else's. Personally I love rings, but I have made a study of my hand in relation to my type of dressing, and I keep one or two really striking rings which have really now become part of myself. The right kind of ring will aid your graceful appearance, the wrong kind, or the characterless kind, will utterly mar it, and it will add so much to the use you make of your hands.

The World and All

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

HOW MUCH GEOGRAPHY?

I am not surprised to learn that a test made by the Review of Reviews has shown that American high school students know very little about geography.

It has always seemed to me that too little attention is paid to geography in our schools.

(And I say this diffidently, for I know that these is no one too humble or too ignorant to criticize the schools. Everybody who has a hobby thinks half the school day ought to be given to teaching this hobby to the youngsters.)

We are living in a certain world. We need to know a lot about it, in order to function as reasonable units in it.

I am anxious that all children in the schools be taught that Argentina is not "the Argentine." How can we expect to have cultured or commercial relations with Latin America as long as roving reporters and intensive editorial writers continue to write about "the Argentine"? Would we love Argentina if her newspapers and public speakers continually referred to America as "the American"?

I think it essential that children learn at a tender age that Barbadoes is an island in the Caribbean, and is not "the Barbadoes." Barbadoes, unfortunately, ends in s. Many people, some of whom write for publication, think that any country that ends in s is plural, and should have "the" before it. Barbadoes is Spanish for whiskers. When the early Spanish explorers passed Barbadoes they were impressed by the mossy whiskers worn by the forest trees that leaned far out over the water. So they called the island Whiskers, or Barbardoes.

Rutland, Vt., has marble curbstones. Wichita, Kas., is the biggest airplane manufacturing center, and Akron, O., makes most of the rubber and balloons. Montreal is on an island, and it has a beautiful mountain, called Mount Royal, which is a public park where no automobiles are tolerated. Boston is celebrated for beans and the Common, and Oklahoma City has oil wells on city lots. The Fords have a large factory in St. Paul, Minn., but Minneapolis had the Lake of the Isles. Chicago is going to be the largest city in the world, and Texas has only just begun to develop as a great commercial empire. Atlanta has Peachtree road, Cleveland has Euclid avenue, Charleston has the Magnolia Gardens, Wiscasset has Donald Macmillan, and Los Angeles has Mrs. McPherson. I'd like to have our school children familiar with these geographical facts, and with many others of equal importance.

GERMAN CHRISTMAS COOKIES

Pomeranzen Brod (Citron Bread)
(Mrs. Mary Morton's Daily Tested Recipe.)

One-half pound sugar, two whole eggs, two yolks. Stir half an hour. Add one ounce citron peel, one-half ounce orange peel, one-half ounce lemon peel, one-half pound flour, one-half teaspoon ammonia. Roll dough in half-inch rolls. Cut about two inches long, bake in moderate oven.

The ammonia called for in this recipe is called lump ammonia, and is purchased in the drug store. Five cents worth is ample. Must be scraped before measuring.

NOT HER WORRY

"Another new dress! Where am I to get the money to pay for it?"

"I don't know. I'm your wife, not your financial adviser."

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

By MRS. MARY MORTON

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Menu Hint

BREAKFAST
Orange Juice Rolled Oats, Cream
Soft Boiled Eggs Toast
Coffee
LUNCHEON
Oyster Stew Crackers
Fruit Salad Tea
Date Bars
DINNER
Oyster Cocktail
Flank Steak in Casserole
Baked Potatoes Asparagus Salad
Tapioca Pudding Tea

This menu was planned for two. Enough oysters are saved from the stew to make the dinner cocktails.

Today's Recipes

Flank Steak—Wash steak, dry and dredge with plenty of flour, and salt. Put one tablespoon of butter or drippings in frying pan and brown meat. Cut in two pieces and put in casserole. Add one cup of water in pan, with one medium onion (cut fine) and one tablespoon of vinegar. Let come to a boil and boil five minutes. Pour over steak and cook in slow oven two or three hours.

Date Bars—One cup sugar, one tablespoon butter, two eggs (well beaten), one tablespoon hot water, one cup sifted flour, one teaspoon baking powder, one-half cup chopped nuts, three-fourths pound dates (cut fine). Mix in order given, bake in long shallow pan about 20 minutes. Let stand until cool, cut in stripes three inches by one and roll in powdered sugar. Makes about three and a half dozen.

Oyster Stew—One-half pint oysters, two cups milk, two tablespoons butter, salt and pepper. Place oysters in strainer and pour over one-fourth cup of cold water (reserving liquor.) Pick over oysters, return oysters to liquor and cook until edges begin to curl. Heat milk and butter, combine all and let come to a boil. Do not boil.

CHRISTMAS COOKIES
ZIMTSTERN (CINNAMON STARS)
(Mrs. Mary Morton's Daily Tested Recipe)

One-half pound sugar, five egg whites beaten stiff. Stir half an hour. Add one-half pound almonds cut fine, one candied lemon peeling cut fine, two teaspoons cloves, two teaspoons cinnamon, one-half teaspoon cooking ammonia, enough flour to form. Roll dough about one-fourth inch thick. Cut with star cutter. Sprinkle with granulated sugar. Press half an almond in center of each cookie and bake in moderate oven. The ammonia called for in this recipe is called lump ammonia, and is purchased in the drug store. Five cents worth is ample. Must be scraped before measuring.

SIMPLE

Silk Producer—"You see, madam, the coolies just feed the silkworms mulberry leaves and they spin the silk."

Female Visitor—"Yet, but how do you get them to spin the colors you want?"

Silk Producer (hopelessly)—"We just leave it to their own aesthetic inclinations, madam."

THE ONE MINUTE PULPIT

So he came near where I stood: and when he came, I was afraid, and fell upon my face: be said unto me, Understand, O son of man: for at the time of the end shall be the vision—Daniel viii, 17.

NO GOOD

"Well, Tommy, what do you think of your new bouncing brother?"

"Something's the matter with him, pa. I dropped him as hard as I could on the floor, but he wouldn't bounce."

Diet and Health

By LULU HUNT PETERS, M. D.
Author of "Diet and Health" and "Diet for Children"

Cereals

"Dear Dr. Lulu: What are the dangers of eating very little bread and cereal? My family prefers the starch of potatoes. I have just about concluded that there is no substitute for cereal because even though my children eat all the other foods, I find it necessary to give laxatives often. Is it possible to eat too much fruit?

"MRS. B."

Give your family cereals in the morning, Mrs. B. Get the whole-grain types for steady use. They are not only good energy foods, but they have a high-grade protein, and vitamins. (So do potatoes.) The whole-grain products are high in vitamin B, which is necessary for the integrity of the intestinal tract, and therefore peristalsis, and this is one of the reasons for its helpful effect in constipation. And the bran furnishes necessary bulk.

Potatoes are an exceedingly wholesome food, having an alkaline ash, and there are many who can, with profit, eat more of them and proportionately less cereal products Those who should do this are those who have been having too many of the cereal products (this includes bread and cakes) and other acid-ash foods, and are suffering from a dietary acidosis from this excess. But, except in conditions of acidosis, where all of the foods had better be of the alkaline-ash type (in general, fruits, vegetables, milk and nuts), blood pressure and kidney disease, it is only necessary to have the larger part of the diet composed of the alkaline-ash foods. Normally we need some of the acid-ash foods, too.

Remember that the use of laxatives is generally followed by constipation, and they should not be used except when it is necessary to clear out the intestinal tract. Have your children have a regula time for going to the toilet, "hab time" being an important facto in establishing normality. Bu don't be over-anxious about th children's constipation, especiall before them. Over-emphasis o any irregularity brings on a men tal anxiety which accentuates th condition. Many neurotics hav been developed by just such pro cedures.

As to your question as to wheth er it is possible to eat too muc fruit: Yes, it is possible to overd any good thing. A varied diet needed to get all of the neede elements, and if you eat too muc of anything, you are apt to un balance your diet and upset th normal chemistry of the body You can have 1 1-2 to 2 pound of fruit daily—a good quota—al though many can take more with out ill effects, and others wh have the equivalent in vegetable can take less. One and one-hal to 2 pounds of fruit and vege tables a day is a good workin rule. This not only furnishes bul but vitamins, mineral element and good energy food, the pures type of water, and a fraction o protein. Those who have a disturbance of the intestinal trac might not be able to care for thi amount and they might have t have their vegetables and fruit pureed. But they should hav some, for it has been found tha when patients are kept too lon on diets devoid of fruits and vege tables, they get scurvy added t their troubles.

Send for our articles on Balanced Diet and Constipation, Mrs. B You will find these very helpful.

Mrs. L.—Our pamphlet on Kidney and Bladder Disorders take up the diet in Bright's disease See column rules for obtaining this.

Living and Loving

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

HAVE a heart, Parents! Remember your youth. Surely in those not-too-far-off days you must recall that you had some things to say to your sweetheart that you did not want the rest of the family to hear.

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"DEAR VIRGINIA: I am 20 years of age, and I have been going with a young man. When he comes to see me our parlor is too cold to sit in, as it isn't heated. We have no davenport to sit on, and so I have to entertain him in the dining room.

"My folks sit up and talk to him until 10 o'clock, and then go to bed, supposedly. Pretty soon I hear dad creeping down the stairs to look on. This is driving me mad.

"I have had boy friends since I was 16, and he has always been the audience. Why can't he realize that I am old enough to know how to entertain correctly? I've often wondered if he ever thinks how he acted when he was young.

"What shall I do, leave?

"DISGUSTED."

Have you appealed to your father to remember his youth, Disgusted? Has your mother talked to him? He probably just loves to see you and your boy friend, and gloat over his attractive daughter—thinks you are "cute." You typify romance to him, and he can't resist listening to you and looking at you. Maybe he thinks you don't know he's there.

Your best weapon is loving ridicule. Tell him he'll drive you from home if he doesn't stop. That you'll never have any boy friends if he keeps up his espionage. Go out as much as you can with your boy friend to save yourself this irritation. Suggest a brisk walk, or an errand to the store. That will discourage your father, and when you return he will probably have gone to bed.

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LOST LOVE: Possibly a visit to and a good talk with, a doctor would be the best thing for you. I think your condition is largely mental, and that you might overcome it with effort on your part and help from outside. I wonder if you could find a doctor who specializes in psycho-analysis or a nerve specialist. Call up your county medical society and ask them to recommend one.

Your husband is a good provider, you say, and loves children. Possibly a physician, such as I have mentioned, would be able to help you overcome your peculiarity, and thus remove the cause of your dissatisfaction. Make every effort to adjust your differences and make your marriage a success, for the sake of the children as well as of you two.

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BLONDY: Your letter has been answered some time ago.

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RED A.: No, I'm not going to scold you or anything like that. I will just make one suggestion. When you meet the boy on whom you wsh to make a good impression forget that you are good and think only of how nice he is and talk him about his interests.

With all your attractions you should make a hit. It's perfectly proper for a kid like you to have a case of love sickness, even if it turns out to be "puppy love," so be your nicest, and I hope the boy will come up to your expectations of him.

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WONDERING FIFTEEN: Don't despair of growing tall this early in your life, dear. You probably will grow a good deal in the next few years. You can do stretching exercises, and drink plenty of milk, eat green vegetables, etc. They will help; but if you never grow "divinely tall," remember that most men like little woman.

As to the boys, be interested in them in a jolly, sympathetic way and don't let them think you're dying of love for them—which, of course, you aren't—and they may be tempted to ask for dates.

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TWO-IN-ONE: Necking is hugging and kissing, girls. I don't think you have been guilty of that. If your church does not forbid dancing, and your parents approve, it is perfectly proper for you to dance occasionally in respectable places if you do not stay out so late as to endanger your health.

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YOUNG MOTHER: I would advise you to read the riot act to your husband, and tell him you would leave him if he was so abusive, only I'm afraid that would make things worse for you. One is hardly safe with a man who hits his wife and throws things at her. Call up your prosecutor and ask him what you should do to get protection. It's a shame for you to be so treated.

Peter's Adventures

By MRS. FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

HOW DEATH'S WATCH GOT HIS NAME

Mrs. Death's Watch was a good sport. She might have been so weak as to faint, but she was not going to make a fuss about it.

"I feel quite all right now," said the little lady, sitting up and smoothing down her wings. "We were out house-hunting and when I heard husband calling, I thought he had found a choice spot to build. Had your husband?"

"I found the nicest site in these parts, my dear," said her husband, cheerfully. "We shall build a home that will be the envy of the Snap-Beetle tribe. It is beyond that hummock, over yonder! Shall we go and look at it, together?"

"Yes, let's!" cried his wife, jumping to her feet. You go ahead and I will follow if you'll rap now and then to tel me the way. You know how much faster you fly than I do and I know how it tires you to keep my slow pace."

Mr. and Mrs. Death's Watch bad Biffer and the boy goodby. Long after they were out of sight could b heard the rat-a-tat of Mr. Snap Beetle as he "telephoned" direc tions to his mate.

"A devoted couple," remarke Peter. "Pleasant folks, too, bu what a dreadful name they have.

"True, agreed Biffer, "and this i how they got it. Small as they are Uncle and Auntie Death's Watch scare the Two-Legs with their 'rat a-tat.' When they visit a Human house, as sometimes they do, the disturb the tenants with their mys terious knock. No Two-Legs can find out where it comes from. Some of them believe when it is heard it a sign someone in the house is go ing on a journey from which they will never return. Of course it isn't so—the jokes on you Humans. Just the same, give one of our family reputation and he has a hard So we call the most innocent sect in Beetle-Land 'Death's Watch' for fun."

SPORT SNAP SHOTS

FRAMED by Phil

When brains were passed out the sport writers of the South Central League were taking a collective vacation, in the opinion of a new coach of a league school, it seems. This coach, at a recent league meeting at Frankfort, is said to have taken exception to a recent all-star football team which represented the concensus of opinion of the league's pen and pencil pushers.

The basis of his uncomplimentary remarks directed against the sport writers of the circuit was that Noon, his fullback, was far and away the league's best fullback. Noon was the star of the Washington C. H. football team and lived up to that reputation when Washington trounced Xenia 21 to 0 during the past season. It seems that Noon was overlooked when the mythical eleven was selected.

The scribes, however, are not getting gray-headed about it and are said to be taking a little "razzing" in a spirt that it is all in a day's work. The coach, by the way, is Jimmy Price, former Wittenberg College grid star.

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Coach Wertz, Piqua High School mentor is faced with the necessity of doing a little rebuilding on his own account in developing a basketball team this season and this fact should not cause followers of Xenia Central High's court team any gloomy moments. Piqua has Neth and R. Black at forwards and Ramsey available once more for a guard post but the biggest worry for the Indian coach is whether a good center can be discovered, not to mention another guard. However the center problem is the biggest and the outlook for a solution of the question is said to be not so promising.

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Jamestown High School boys' basketball team, which has a home playing floor this season for the first time in a number of years and recently created a sensation in Greene County Class B court circles by defeating the strong Bellbrook quintet, has experienced some tough luck and will probably be crippled until after the Christmas holidays.

Jamestown is scheduled to play Plattsburg on the home floor Friday night and will be without the services of two regulars.

Leo Coe, center and captain of the team, suffered an attack of appendicitis at the start of the fourth quarter of the game with Bowersville last week and will not be in shape to play again before next month. On top of this Charles James, colored guard, tore the ligaments in his right ankle in practice Tuesday night, and is on the shelf for the remainder of the month at least.

Loss of these two youths will seriously handicap Jamestown for the time being.

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Back to the Philadelphia Nationals, where he made his major league debut more than a quarter of a century ago, goes Grover Cleveland Alexander, recognized as one of the greatest baseball pitchers of all time.

The "grand old man" was traded to the Phillies by the St. Louis Cardinals Wednesday. Alex along with Catcher Harry McCurdy, who was recently drafted by the Cardinals from Toledo, go to Philadelphia in exchange for Outfielder Homer Peel and Pitcher Bob McGraw. The Cards also gave some cold cash, it is said.

Undoubtedly Alexander's best days are behind him but he still has a lot of stuff and would have made a valuable addition to the Cincinati Reds pitching staff, even if he was only used as a relief hurler.

THREE KILLED WHEN FIRE WRECKS HOTEL

WICHITA FALLS, Texas., Dec. 12.—Three men were crushed to death beneath falling walls, and nine persons were seriously injured today when fire destroyed the Antlers Hotel, in the downtown district here.

The dead were Smiley Turner, assistant fire chief, C. L. Anderson, fireman and Toby Brice, taxicab driver.

The origin of the fire was not known.

ASSISTANT COACH PATTERSON DIRECTS BUCCANEER PRACTICE

Practically on the eve of Xenia Central High School's inaugural basketball game of the season against Waynesville at the local gym Friday night, Coach Walter "Pinky" Wilson was taken suddenly ill Wednesday and is confined indoors with a slight case of grip.

With Coach Wilson facing the possibility of an enforced absence of three or four days, the Buccaneer court squad practice session Wednesday afternoon was directed by Assistant Coach H. Glen Patterson.

The high school mentor's condition is not described as serious, however, and he was slightly improved Thursday.

The Bucs will be placed at somewhat of a disadvantage in their opening game Friday night because of the fact the Waynesville quintet has already played five games, it is said, and should therefore have rounded into mid-season form.

On the other hand the Xenia squad has been practicing for only two weeks, has not engaged in much scrimmage and the teamwork as well as basket-shooting has not reached the degree of perfection that will eventually come from constant playing.

The Bucs are hoping to get off on the right foot, however, with a victory and a close game is in prospect.

LEGION FORMS GUN CLUB AND OFFICERS SELECTED AT MEET

Permanent organization of the American Legion Gun Club was completed with the election of three officers for 1930 at a meeting of about twenty marksmen at the armory of Company L, 147th Infantry, Ohio National Guard, Wednesday night.

Dr. H. C. Messenger was elected club manager, Steele Poague was chosen finance officer and Captain O. H. Cornwell, commander of the local guard unit, was selected coach.

Club members also participated in a practice rifle shooting contest from a seventy-five-foot range. Perfect scores of fifty out of as many shots were recorded by Captain Cornwell and Cecil Strowbridge. Other high scores included those of the following members: Dr. H. C. Messenger, forty-nine out of fifty; Steele Poague, forty-nine; Allen Turner, forty-eight; George Sugden, forty-seven; and Morris Sharp, forty-five. The seven highest scores provided a team total of 338 out of 350.

As finance officer, Steele Poague was designated to search for a suitable site for a rifle range which would be used by Company L and also the new gun club. Company L has been granted an appropriation of $1,000 for a range but a tract of ground measuring up to the necessary requirements has not been found.

According to Captain Cornwell, the range must be not less than 200 yards in length, preferably longer, and must also have an embankment at least forty feet in height to shoot into.

Bowling Scores

The team composed of M. Smith, Graham, Spahr, Bell, Davis and Chappel won two out of three games in the weekly Business Men's League bowling match Wednesday night. Box score:

No. 1 Team.			
M. Smith	142	101	125
Graham	126	174	160
Spahr	169	174	134
Bell	143	156	147
Davis	138	178	157
Chappel	131	125	176
Totals	849	908	899
No. 2 Team.			
Fuller	208	176	143
Long	125	125	125
Heathman	148	111	128
Ray Smith	169	115	102
Schmidt	118	174	131
Moll	168	163	154
Totals	936	864	783
No. 3 Team.			
Boxwell	123	156	162
Tate	148	133	134
Gibney	181	114	140
Sugden	152	178	128
Lang	125	125	125
Clevenger	155	167	170
Totals	884	873	859

DEFENDANTS WIN

After deliberating an hour a jury in Common Pleas Court returned a verdict for the defendants, Wednesday afternoon in the suit brought by L. S. Johnson against Anna Collier and Helen (Smith) Spahr, seeking recovery of $414.50, alleged due on a carpenter bill. Frank H. Dean was counsel for the plaintiff and Harry D. Smith was defense attorney.

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CARLISLE TO HEAD COMMERCIAL CLUB; HEAR ROAD PROGRAM

Paul D. Carlisle was elected president for 1930 when the Osborn Commercial Club held its annual dinner-meeting at the Osborn Hotel Tuesday night. Other officers selected for the coming year are: vice president, Frank C. Massey; secretary-treasurer, Walter M. Moore; board of control, Mayor-elect W. T. Naragon, O. B. Armstrong, Earl W. Burrowes and Warren J. Morris.

The amount of road work now in progress and what projects are contemplated in Greene County for 1930 was explained at the meeting by County Commissioners A. E. Beam and Herman Eavey, who discussed the subject "Road Improvements."

Insofar as funds will permit the commissioners announced that several highways in Bath Twp. may be improved next year. The improvement most desired by Fairfield and Osborn is the proposed extension of route No. 235 from Fairfield to the Valley Pike.

Petitions to the state highway department, seeking this improvement, are now being circulated and are expected to receive the signatures of practically every voter in the township as there is little opposition to the proposed extension. State financial aid is to be sought.

HOME GIRLS HEARD WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Music and the recessional were furnished by a chorus of girls from the O. S. and S. O. Home when three oil paintings depicting the last moments of the battleship Maine were dedicated at Memorial Hall, Columbus, Wednesday night by veterans of the Spanish-American War.

Mrs. Rose Byers, choir leader, was presented with a bouquet. The Home chorus was composed of girls who are orphaned daughters of Spanish-American War soldiers.

The dedicatory address was delivered by Gov. Fred W. Green, of Michigan, commander-in-chief of the veterans.

The oil paintings represent the entrance of the ill-fated battleship into the Havana harbor, the explosion which destroyed it and the work of divers on the bottom salvaging the bodies.

GET DOUBLE HOLIDAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Thousands of federal employes were accorded a double Christmas holiday when President Hoover issued an executive order today, closing all government departments on Dec. 24, the day before Christmas.

SHE WRITES THOSE MONOTYPES



RADIE HARRIS

ARE you reading "Movie Monotypes," the clever little feature about motion picture players recently started in THE GAZETTE?

Miss Radie Harris, above, is the author of this fascinating series for Central Press and this newspaper.

It is said to be the most unusual film feature yet written, because it's snappy, intimate and full of humor! It tells things you never knew before about screen personalities whose faces are familiar to you.

The next "Movie Monotype" is about Richard Dix. Now don't tear up the paper in your anxiety girls—but if you do tear it up, remember Telephone 800 reaches the circulation department and extra copies may be obtained. The line forms on the right.

FINED ON LIQUOR SELLING CHARGE

Adjudged guilty of an affidavit charging him with having sold liquor to Harry Sager, undercover dry agent, James Jackson, colored, E. Church St., was fined $100 and costs by Probate Judge S. C. Wright Wednesday and ordered committed to the County Jail. Jackson had entered a not guilty plea.

Hearing of James Banks, colored, on a similar charge, was also scheduled for Wednesday, but was postponed by Judge Wright until later in the week. Banks had been released from the County Jail to attend the funeral of his father, who died suddenly from heart trouble.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

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MARKETS

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Hogs — Receipts, 53,000; market, steady; top, $9.50; bulk, $9@9.45; heavy wt., $9.15@9.50; light weight, $9@9.40; light lights, $8.60@9.35; packing sows, $8@8.60; pigs, $8@9; holdovers 5,000.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,500; market, steady; calves, receipts, 2,000; market, steady; beef steers, good and choice, $13@15; common and medium, $9.50@13.50; yearlings, $10@15.50; butcher cattle: heifers $8@15; cows, $6@10.50; bulls, $8@11; calves, $10@14.50; feeder steers, $9.50@11.75; stocker steers $8.50@11; stocker cows and heifers, $6.50@9.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; market, steady; medium and choice lambs, $12@13.25; culls and common, $9@11.50.

XENIA LIVESTOCK

Heavies	$ 8.35@ 8.50
Mediums	8.60@ 8.75
Lights	8.00@ 8.25
Pigs	8.00@ 8.25
Roughs	7.00@ 7.50

DAYTON LIVESTOCK HOGS

Receipts, 6 cars; mkt., steady.

Heavies, 275-375 lbs...	$ 8.95@ 9.15
Heavies, 250-275 lbs...	9.15@ 9.35
Mediums, 160-200 lbs..	8.90@ 9.35
Lights, 140-160 lbs....	8.60
Pigs, 140 lbs. down..	7.00@ 8.00
Sows	7.00@ 8.00
Stags	5.00@ 6.00

Receipts, light; mkt., steady.

Top Veal Calves	$14.00
Med. Veal Calves	12.00 down
Best Butcher Steers..	10.50@11.50
Med. Butcher Steers.	9.00@10.00
Best fat heifers	9.50@10.50
Medium heifers	7.00@ 9.00
Bologna Cows	4.00@ 5.00
Medium Cows	5.00@ 6.50
Best Fat Cows	7.00@ 8.00
Bulls	6.50@ 8.50

SHEEP

Receipts, 15 cars; mkt., slow.

Sheep	$ 2.00@ 5.00
Spring lambs	11.00
Spring lambs, No. 2..	10.00 down

PRODUCE

CHICAGO BUTTER

CHICAGO, Dec. 12. — Butter: receipts, 5,659 tubs; creamery extras, 37c; extra firsts, 36@36 1-2c; standards, 37c; specials, 37 1-2@38c; packing stock, 27@29c; firsts, 35@37c.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.—Butter: extra, 37c; standard, 37c; market, weak; eggs: extras, 53c; firsts, 47c; market, steady; heavy fowls, 27c; live poultry: medium fowls, 24c; leghorn fowls, 15@18c; thin springers, 15c; heavy broilers, 23@24c; leghorn broilers, 18c@20c; ducks, 20@22c; geese, 18@20c; old cocks, 18c; turkeys, 28@30c; mkt, weak; apples: Roman Beauties and Baldwins, $1.75@2.25 bu.; potatoes: Ohio and Maine, $3.75@4.50 per 150 lb. sack; cabbage: Ohio best, 85c per basket.

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Dressed ducks, per pound	30c
1929 Fries, pound	40c
Dressed Turkeys, per lb.	50c

Prices Paid at Plant

Hens, per pound	20c
Leghorn hens	15c
Young geese	15c
Ducks, per pound	15c
Old Roosters, per pound	14c
Colored Fries, 4 lbs. up	18c
Colored Fries, 4 lbs. up	21c
Hen Turkeys, per pound	25c
Young tom turkeys, pound	25c
Leghorn fries, pound	15c
Eggs, per dozen	45c

(By Miami Valley Co-operative Milk Producers Ass'n)

Butter, per lb.	45c

XENIA PRODUCE
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Eggs, per dozen	50c
Springers	20c
Leghorn hens	14c
Leghorn springers	14c
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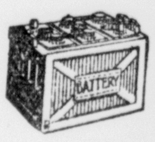
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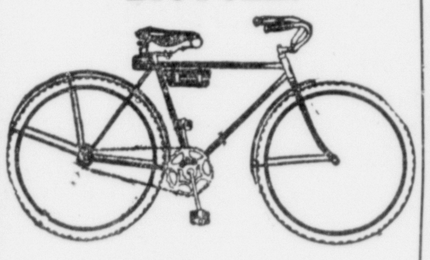
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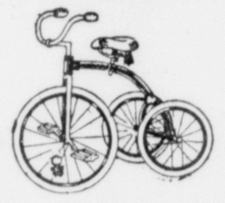


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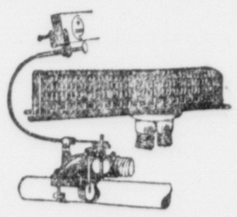
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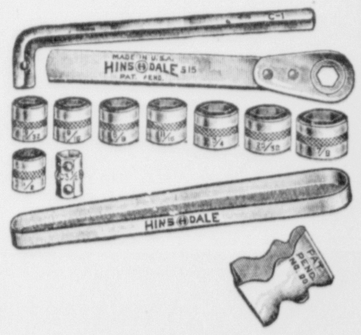


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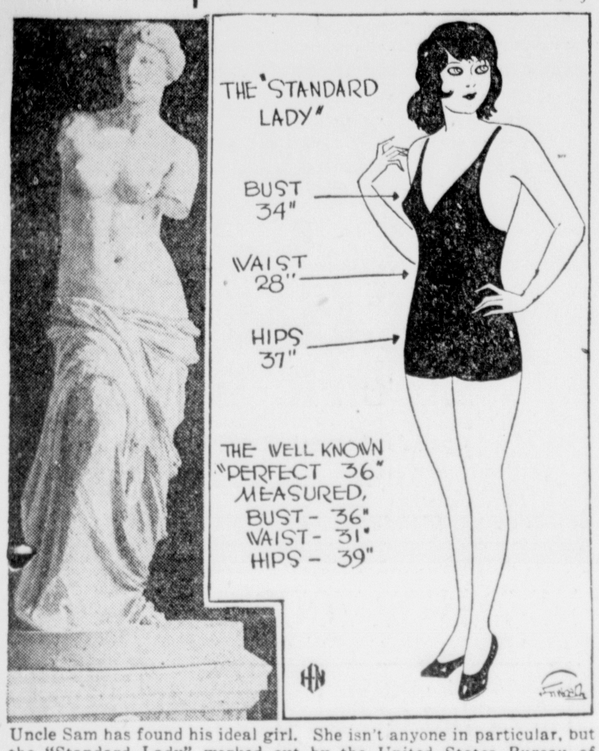
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TELLING the WORLD'S NEWS with PICTURES

New American Venus Bears Official Stamp of Commerce Secretary



Uncle Sam has found his ideal girl. She isn't anyone in particular, but the "Standard Lady" worked out by the United States Bureau of Standards. The accompanying diagram compares "Standard Lady's" figures as compiled by Uncle Sam and the figures which make up a "perfect 36" made famous by Venus (left).

EX-PREMIER'S SON DENIES TARRING



An alibi will be the defense of Charles Oliver, 36, inset, of Penticton, B. C., son of the late Premier John Oliver, who faces trial as one of a party of four men said to have kidnaped and tarred and feathered Dr. B. C. Latimer, above, 64-year-old physician. Dr. Latimer declares he recognized Oliver's voice. Dr. Latimer is alleged to have made overtures to Oliver's wife, who had been his patient. Latimer denies the allegations and alleges Oliver threatened him with death if he did not leave town.

Husband Charges Personal Indignities in Suit for Divorce



Louise Bryant, well known writer, has been served with papers for divorce by her husband, William C. Bullitt, author and diplomat, in which he charges her with "personal indignities."

N. Y. Girl Charms Egyptian Prince



The quest for a perfect wife by Prince Mohammed Ali Ibrahim, which led him over three continents, and ended with his marriage to Pearl Ginsberg of New York, is a story book romance. The prince has installed her in a palace in Paris. He spen $1,000,000 on her education.

Aged Cripple Seeks Cure at Shrine



An aged cripple with members of his family at the grave of Father Patrick Power in the Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden, Mass. Thousands are daily flocking to the shrine, seeking cures for their afflictions. Several miraculous cures are reported to have taken place at the grave.

FRIDAY IS HURLEY'S LUCKY DAY



Friday is the lucky day of Patrick J. Hurley, of Tulsa, Okla., named secretary of war by President Hoover to succeed the late James W. Good. He was born on Friday and appointed to the cabinet on Friday. Above, the artist has sketched some of the important events in Hurley's life which took place on Friday.

Oil Magnate Tells Jail Experience



Harry F. Sinclair, millionaire oil magnate, tells his impressions of the District of Columbia jail to "Mike," after being released from jail. He had been confined in the prison since May 6th for contempt of the United States Senate and of the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

Self-Styled Czar Offers Royal Decorations For Three Dollars



Grand Duke Cyrill, self-styled Czar of Russia, now with his improvised court at St. Briac, France, who has issued an imperial manifesto offering royal decorations and membership in the Order of St. Nicholas Thaumaturgis for the sum of three dollars. Royal certificates are being distributed to Russians throughout the Western hemisphere by the Grand Duke's agents, in an effort to raise funds for the re-establishment of a Russian monarchy.

Wealthy Broker's Son Kidnaped



Fears that boy has been seized and held for ransom are spurring Otto Scott Estrella, wealthy oil operator, to find son Otto, Jr., 11, missing from No. 615 Washington Ave., New York City, since last Sunday.

YOUTHS FACE CHAIR FOR KIDNAPING



Two boys of respected Iowa families, Charles Egbert, left, and Keith Helme, right, both 20, await trial, at Omaha, on charges of kidnaping, which carries the penalty of electrocution in Nebraska, in connection with the kidnaping, assault and injuring of Marie Panek, maid in an Omaha home. County Attorney Henry Beal asserts the boys attacked the girl after she had accepted their invitation to escort her home from a church dance. He declares the boys were "crazy drunk from bootleg whiskey."

MAKING-UP THE INDEFINITE TYPE



Each type of woman has a unique charm which must set the keynote of her dressing and make-up, if she is to be supremely effective, says Lucien Lelong. The indefinite type should choose rouges of faded rose and pale coral. Her powder will be naturelle or ivoire rose. brown tones for her eye pencil, and eye shadow of a grayer blue than the color of her eyes. Her manner of applying her make-up must be delicate.

Society Songbird Arrives in New York



After a tour of Europe, during which she gave many vocal concerts, Miss Virginia Warren, of Boston, arrived in New York on the S. S. Berengaria. Miss Warren will make her début in Boston society early in December.

Sues Millionaire Realtor



Miss Bertha Cleavenger who has instituted a $750,000 breach of promise suit against John H. Castle, millionaire real estate man of Detroit, Mich.

WORKING GIRL IS HEIR TO WEALTH



Miss Cecile La Coste, of Los Angeles, who was working as a presser in a dry cleaning establishment a week ago, has been notified that she is heir to $133,900 from the estate of an uncle who died recently in Chicago. She is shown above as she left her pressing table.

Former Byrd Aide at Work In Nebraska Newspaper Office



Richard G. Brophy at his desk in the editorial rooms of a Nebraska newspaper, where he was known as Charles Manning Mitchell. Brophy was associated with the Byrd Expedition. A "suicide" note found in a Coney Island bathhouse caused it to be universally believed that he had committed suicide. On his identity being made known, he set out apparently for New York City to join his wife and son. To date he has not arrived in the metropolis.

Scores Inconsistency Of New Moderns



Ethet Mannin, popular English novelist, scored the "new moderns" who are constantly searching for the unconventional. After a time, she asserts, so many women do the unconventional that it becomes conventional.

Death Set for 13th



Wee Willie (Baby Face) Doody, once described as Chicago's most terrible slayer, sentenced to die Friday, December 13, for fatally shooting Police Chief Charles Levy of Berwyn, Chicago suburb, faces death in trembling fear.

POSTPONE TRIAL S GROWING OUT OF DOG TRACK OPERATION HERE

Jury trials of three of the principal promoters of the Fairfield Amusement Park, Ltd., on gambling charges growing out of raids last July 26 by county authorities on the dog racing plant at Fairfield, assigned to begin in Common Pleas Court December 18, have been continued until later in the month on application of defense counsel, it was disclosed Wednesday.

Trial of Charles R. Fay, Middletown, chairman of the board of directors of the partnership organization, was assigned for December 18 but has been postponed until December 30. Originally fixed for December 19 and 20, trials of C. G. Wantz, Fairfield, a principal stockholder, and G. W. Heintz, Hamilton, builder of the track and its former general manager, will follow that of Fay.

Affidavits filed against the trio by Prosecutor J. Carl Marshall, and to which each promoter pleaded not guilty when arraigned, charge them with keeping a gambling place and permitting sale of pools on dog races.

Defense attorneys sought postponement of the trials, it is said, because Heintz must appear in court at New Orleans December 20 to answer to a charge of contempt of court filed against him for alleged violation of an injunction against the operation of mechanical rabbits used as a "lure" at dog tracks. Heintz is the inventor of the mechanical rabbit, now used extensively at dog tracks throughout the United States and foreign countries.

VACCINATE PUPILS AFTER SMALLPOX IS FOUND PREVALENT

Precautions taken by Dr. R. H. Grube, Greene County health commissioner, in personally vaccinating about thirty children enrolled in the one-room grade school at White Chapel, off the Stone Road, in the Xenia Twp. school district, prevented a possible smallpox epidemic this week, it became known Wednesday.

Dr. Grube disclosed that a family named Butts in the township is under quarantine and that five or six members of the family including children and their parents, contracted the disease in a mild form from a nephew living in Cincinnati, who was visiting at their home.

The children attended the grade school Monday and all of the other pupils were exposed to the infection, which was at first diagnosed as chicken pox.

Dr. Grube was summoned and ordered all of the children to return home immediately after school and not return unless their parents were willing for them to be inoculated.

Every child re-appeared at school Tuesday morning and was vaccinated by the health commissioner. Four pupils were re-vaccinated.

The disease contracted by the Butts family was not the malignant form of small pox and their condition is not reported as serious. No other cases were reported among pupils of the school after the vaccination precaution was taken.

Eleanor Babb is teacher at the school.

CHRISTMAS SACRED MUSICAL AT CHURCH HERE NEXT SUNDAY

The vested chorus choir of the Presbyterian Church will give the first Christmas sacred musical of the season next Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The choir will sing "King All Glorious" of Roy E. Nolte.

Following is the program of the evening:

Prelude—
"The Holy Night" -- Dudley Buck
Devotional period --- Rev. Tilford
Offertory—
"Christmas" ---------- Hofmer
"King All Glorious"
"Sing, O Heavens" ------ Chorus
"Behold, The Morning Cometh" ---------- Solo
Miss Ruth Alexander
"Unto Us a Child is Born" Chorus
"Calm on the Listening Ear." ---------- Tenor Solo
Mr. Ralph Baldner
"And In The Country of Judea" ---------- Bass Solo
Mr. Raymond Shoemaker
"Star of Bethlehem" ------- Duet
Miss Zella Soward and Mrs. Wm. H. Tilford
"Behold, There Came Wise Men" ---------- Men's Chorus
"O'er Manger Bed" --------- Solo
Mrs. Wm. H. Tilford
"List to the Message" ---- Chorus
"All Who Believe" -------- Solo
Mrs. Arthur Perrill
"All Hail the King of Glory" ---------- Chorus
"A Wondrous Song" Women's ---------- Chorus
"Joy To The World."
Benediction
Postlude—
"Hosanna" ---------- Diggle
Mrs. Pearl Armstrong -- Director
Mrs. Wm. Anderson ---- Organist

URBANA YOUTH SHOT, WHILE ATTEMPTING THEFT OF GASOLINE

URBANA, O., Dec. 12.— Frank Stevenson, 22, was shot and probably fatally wounded early today when he and a companion were interrupted in the alleged act of stealing gasoline from an automobile which was parked in front of the residence of Marshal Samuel Richeson at St. Paris, a small town west of here.

The noise which the two youths made awakened the marshal and he and a relative, Leslie Lykin, crept downstairs. Richeson was armed with a revolver and Lyken carried a shotgun.

They cried to the alleged robbers to surrender. Both, according to the report, started to flee.

Lykin opened fire and a shotgun charge tore away part of Stevenson's back and side. Stevenson's companion escaped.

The wounded youth was rushed to the county hospital here and physicians there said that it would only be a matter of hours until he died.

Stevenson's companion, according to Marshal Richeson, is believed to be Fritz Barney, 22, formerly of Dayton.

Police are searching for him for questioning.

EAST END NEWS

The Church Aid Society of the Middle Run Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Nannie Hart, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Frederick Cosby is on the sick list.

HOST AT DINNER



H. L. BINDER

H. L. Binder was host Wednesday night when he entertained members of the Xenia Retail Merchants Association at dinner at the Elk's Club. Forty members of the organization were his guests at dinner at which Virginia baked ham was the principal feature of the menu. Mr. Binder, city commissioner-elect, is a past president of the organization.

ZELL GIVEN PRAISE AS MERCHANTS DINE AS BINDER GUESTS

The Xenia Retail Merchants Association, at a dinner meeting at the Elk's Club Wednesday night, placed the stamp of approval on City Auditor T. H. Zell when his name was mentioned in connection with possible changes at City Hall after January 1, when a new commission takes office.

H. L. Binder, commissioner-elect and past president of the association, was host at the dinner, which was followed by a number of informal talks in which the merchants discussed Christmas plans and the question of city administration changes was brought up. The meeting, when the name of Mr. Zell was mentioned, developed into a testimonial session with members endorsing by applause, his possible promotion in the city administration.

Mr. Binder, in his address, expressed a desire to co-operate with business men and pledged his support of any project favored by the merchants for the betterment of the city. He suggested the appointment of a committee of business men to meet with city commission and interest themselves in activities of that group.

I. Friedman, president of the association, presided at the meeting.

DAYTON POLICEMAN AMONG HUNTERS WHO WERE GIVEN FINES

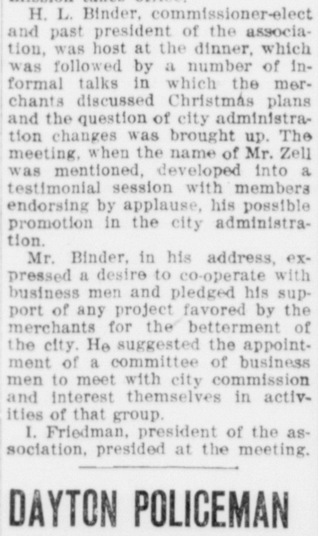
Five Dayton hunters, including a policeman, were each fined $10 and costs by R. O. Copsey, Xenia Twp. justice of the peace, Thursday morning when they pleaded guilty to charges of hunting on the farm of Fremont Miars, Spring Valley, without the owner's permission.

Those fined were: W. J. Wolf, 407 Clover St., member of the Dayton police department assigned to night duty; Edward Burk, 579 N. Main St., a student; Carl Norman, 319 Linwood St.; H. L. Burk, 519 N. Main St., and Forrest Blackburn, 215 Linwood St.

The arrests were made Thursday morning by Ernest Harner, Greene County game warden, upon the request of Miars, who had placed "no-trespassing" signs at conspicuous points on his farm.

The Dayton hunters had bagged several rabbits before they were taken into custody.

Stagg Heads Coaches



Amos Alonzo Stagg of the University of Chicago, elected president of the Western Conference Football Coaches' association, is again the conference's representative on the national football rules committee.

FORMER XENIAN IS WINNER IN COURTS

The state supreme court decided Wednesday in favor of Mrs. Marguerite Parrish, Dayton, formerly of Xenia, in her suit to prevent the erection of a residence in Bryn Mawr, a suburb, which she claimed did not comply with restrictions, limiting cost of buildings to a minimum of $15,000 and certain restrictions as to distance the house is to be set back from the street.

Her suit was brought against the Bryn Mawr Realty Co., the Wisteria Development Co., which had purchased the lot from the former, and the Dayton Construction Co., which was under contract to build the house. She had won in the lower courts in Montgomery County also.

Mrs. Parrish is the wife of Rial T. Parrish and she was before marriage Miss Marguerite Weddle, Xenia.

THE PICTURE QUIZ

By H. L. Sayre



This man said, "I am not a Virginian—I am an American."

QUESTIONS

1. Who is he?
2. What important nomination did he decline from Washington?
3. What state was he the first governor of?
4. What famous words of his are often quoted?
5. What is he most noted as?

ANSWERS

1—Patrick Henry. 2—Secretary of State. 3—Virginia. 4—"Give me liberty or give me death." 5—As an orator.

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Let your motto be: "Give me life in full measure." We'll help. Supplies to help your children with their school and home work. First aids to relieve pain and prevent infection. Second aids to help develop love and devotion.

ECZEMA IS ONLY SKIN DEEP and we honestly believe CRANOLENE, the Cranberry Cream, will heal any case of Eczema, or other skin trouble. Come in and let us tell you about it. Use a $1 jar, and if you are dissatisfied your money will be refunded.

GIFT Suggestions

Electric Goods

Percolators, 8 cup $3.75
4 cup $2.89
Waffle Iron, Jr. $4.98
Waffle Iron $7.98
Flatirons, 6 lb. $2.98
Flatirons, 6 lb. Thermostat Control Plug $3.98
Curling Irons $1.98
All Electric Goods guaranteed by the makers and by us.

SPECIAL—Our entire stock of beautiful Walking and Talking Dolls at 25% discount.

Parker and Shaffer Fountain Pens. A large assortment to choose from. Pen and Pencil Sets.

We engrave any name desired on pens and pencils bought from us, FREE of charge.

Cook's Guaranteed Leather Goods. See the new size purse for the new size bills. Pyralin Toilet Sets. Perfume Sets. See the New and Exclusive Sheri Compacts. Only sold by us.

Beautiful Perfume Atomizers, 50c to $15.00.

Manicure Sets from 98c to $12.00.



YES THERE IS A

Santa Claus

And he is making his headquarters at our store handing out to satisfied customers those wonderful gifts of Christmas Jewelry which we have placed on sale on account of our MOVING, Jan. 1.

Are They Satisfied?
JUST ASK ANY OF THEM

Look This List Over

Elgin Wrist Watches $25 up.	Cuff Links
Elgin Strap Watches $15 up.	Necklaces
(Regular Prices)	Swiss Wrists
Diamond Rings	Swiss Straps
Diamond Mountings	Watch Bands
Colored Stone Rings	Brooches
Lodge Rings	Pearl Beads
Double Head Cameo Rings	Clocks
Vanities	Electric Clocks
Meeker Made Leather Goods	Chime Clocks
Rogers Silverware	Alarm Clocks
	Cigar Lighters
	Silver Holloware
	Pewter

Most Of The Above Can Be Had At A Saving Of 1-3 To 1-2

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18 S. Detroit Xenia, O.

Jeweler And Optometrist

McMILLAN'S
Quitting Business
FURNITURE SALE

Is still going on and the crowds are still packing our store—thousands of dollars worth of high grade furniture and merchandise have b een sold but our stocks still offer you a selection to choose from. Never again will you buy at such bargain prices—people of Greene and surrounding Counties that have the cash are surely profiting by this great sale. Hurry before everything is gone—your money never went farther when invested in furniture before.

$28.80
Coxwell Chairs
Large, roomy button back chairs, covered in mohair and multi-colored jacquard velour with reverse cushions.

$6.95
Occasional Tables
Beautiful walnut grained tables, all kinds, tilt tops, gate legs, ovals, etc., the price range is $6.95 to $21.00.

$12.95
Lamps
A special grouping of high grade lamps at this price make them most desirable bargains. Other bridge, table and floor lamps for less.

$3.25
Mirrors
Buffet and console mirrors, all sizes and kinds, with polychrome and mahogany frames, the price range is from $3.25 up.

$69.00
Parlor Furnaces
This nationally advertised parlor furnace is supposed to sell at a hundred dollars, but our stocks were heavy and they must sell regardless of cost, others as low as $26.00.

$10.95
Radiant Heaters
A large size heater with burnished metal finish and five double radiants, only four left to sell.

OVERSTUFFED SUITES $79.50
$79.50
Three piece multi-colored jacquard velour overstuffed suites, Davenport, Club Chair and Straight Chair, a regular $125.00 value.

500
SUNBURST
PILLOWS
VELOUR, MOHAIR
TAPESTRY
Regular $1.00 To $3.00
69c

DINING ROOM SUITE
$79.50
Eight piece dining room suites, guaranteed construction, 5-ply walnut veneered Table, Buffet and six Chairs. A regular $125.00 value.

$14.50
Gas Ranges
Only four left to sell.
$29.00 value for $14.50
$40.00 value for $19.00
$60.00 value for $22.50
$63.00 value for $24.00

$87.00
Radios
Atwater Kent all electric radio complete in cabinet with speaker and tubes, a late model and regular $135.00 value.

Children's
$3.00 High Chairs...$1.95
$3.00 Rockers $1.50
$5.25 Play Sets $3.90
$20.00 Cribs $4.95

$2.95
Small Rugs
Size 27x52. A selection of Axm. and Velvets, regular $3.75 values and up.

BED ROOM SUITE
$87.00
Three piece genuine 5-ply walnut Bed Room Suites of guaranteed construction. Bed, French Vanity and Chest a regular $140.00 value.

49c Sq. Yd.
Floor Covering
Genuine Congoleum Gold Seal Floor Covering, only two rolls left to sell of this grade and both are good patterns.

$2.95
Bed Springs
Fabric Bed Springs for wood and iron beds, full size and single, a regular $6.00 Bed Spring.

$6.50
Metal Beds
A few full size and single beds in popular finishes They won't last long.

$7.95
Mattresses
A full size combination felt and cotton mattress in good art tick, just a few left.

McMillan's Furniture Store

CEDARVILLE, OHIO

WILLIAM WISECUP CLAIMED BY DEATH

Following an illness of two years, William E. Wisecup, 39, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wisecup, 255 S. West St., at 2:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

He was born in Adams County April 24, 1890 and was a veteran of the World War, being a member of the Fourth training battalion, Sixteenth company, 158th brigade, of the regular U. S. army.

Surviving besides his parents is his widow, Laura; four children, Osie Elizabeth, Mildred, Calvin and William; and the following brothers and sisters, Charles and Dewey, Xenia, Fred and Johnny, at home, and Mrs. Etta Yee. Another brother, Edward, preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 3:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon with burial in Woodland Cemetery.

JAIL BREAK PLOT FOILED BY GUARDS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Six desperate prisoners were held in solitary confinement today after a leaking water pipe betrayed a plot by which the men planned to fight their way out of the city jail here.

While investigating the leak accidentally caused in their cell by one of the prisoners, a guard discovered five murderous bludgeons fashioned from sashweights.

Clara Bow and Harry Richman Coming East to Marry in New York



Clara Bow, fiery redhead of the motion pictures and fiance of Harry Richman, night club favorite, will assume the yoke of connubial bliss in New York on New Year's Day. Miss Bow is convalescing in a Los Angeles hospital from after-effects of an old appendicitis operation.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The chemistry I classes of Central High are organizing a Chemistry Club. Mr. Cranor, chemistry teacher, appointed a committee of four from each class to draw up a constitution for the two classes. These students prepared a constitution that was accepted by both classes without any changes. The club name was not chosen but was left to the students of each class. The idea of the club is to further the chemistry movement in Central High. Through a club, outside aid may be procured along with some very interesting trips to different factories and concerns.

The officers of the two classes were chosen Wednesday morning. The officers of the first period class are as follows: president, Edwin Bath; vice president, Betty Lorimer; secretary-treasurer, Lois Spahr. The president at once appointed some committees. The program committee consists of Chas. Adair, Mary Hayward and Mr. Cranor and the name committee is composed of Robert Kinsey, Dorothy Lunsford and Bernice Bath.

The officers elected in the second period class were: president, Elwood Shafer; vice president, Merton Leinberger; secretary-treasurer, Anita H. Cherry. Marvin Spahr, Virginia Guyton and Frances Beal were appointed on the program committee. M. Leinberger, Mary Eleanor Ford and Joe Smittle were chosen on the exam committee. The first regular meeting of the club will be held on Friday, December 20, 1929. All following meetings will be held every three weeks.

The sophomore class held a

A WAY TO STOP ATTACKS OF FITS

Reports are received of an amazing treatment that epileptics state has proved successful in stopping their attacks. R. Lepso, Apt. 62, Island Ave., Milwaukee, Wisc., has been supplying sufferers with this treatment. He now wishes to reach all those who have not been helped and to do so is making the startling offer of a generous treatment free to all sufferers. Anyone afflicted should write for this free treatment at once, giving age. —Adv.

USE PASTEURIZED MILK

The Greene County Medical Society is taking this means of calling the attention of the public to the fact that several cases of undulant fever have been reported in this county, traceable to the use of raw milk.

Undulant or Malta fever is a serious, long drawn out, wasting disease, for which no cure or treatment has been found.

As prevention is the only means of combatting this disease, the public is urged to demand and use pasteurized milk exclusively.

Marshall M. Best,
Secretary.



Boy! Your'e Looking Fine Again

Well they started me drinking plenty of milk and it certainly pulled me around.

I've Never Felt Better In My Life

And I'm going to stick to it! I never realized what plenty of milk could do for a person till I needed it myself. Of course it had to be Pasteurized and T. B. tested, so we just called

THE SPRINGFIELD
DAIRY PRODUCTS
COMPANY

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day night, the students are beginning to rush the box office for season tickets. Students as well as older patrons are able to make quite a saving by purchasing season tickets. Students' tickets are selling for $1.50 and are going quite rapidly, according to Mr. O. B. Bogart, faculty manager of athletics. The two new rows of seats downstairs are completed and should add quite a good deal to the seating capacity, though the playing floor had to be narrowed somewhat.

The senior girls gave two interesting short plays Wednesday during the activity period to the students of Central only. "A Crafty Crook" was the title of the first play with Jean Marshall playing the leading role. Ten girls took part in this play and very capably filled their parts. In the second play, "Mrs. Rushington's Rest Cure", Donna Harness played the leading part and was assisted by eight other girls. Both comedies were directed by Helen LeSourd and Sara Davidson, senior girls. An admission of ten cents was charged.

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The Hi Y Club held its first luncheon Monday noon and a very enjoyable meeting followed. These luncheons will be held every other week for the remainder of the year. Two honor guests attended the first noon affair. The guests were Professors Hammerle and Woodruff, superintendent and principal respectively. Both gave very interesting talks on school work and the work of the Hi Y in Central and community. Mr. Hammerle spoke on the "Honor and Morals" of students in the school. Mr. Woodruff spoke highly of the "Deeds of Hi Y Club". He pointed out that the members had been following out the school officials ideas and hoped they would continue to do so in the future. Harold Bull gave a short talk on the "Good Coming From a Hi Y Club". Mr. Miller led in the discussion period and many interesting phases of life were discussed. Mr. Wilson was appointed to lead in the discussion next Monday night.

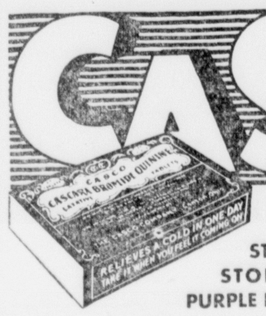
The teachers of Central seem to be having their troubles this year. Quite a number of the teachers have been sick at some time or other this year and now we find Coach Wilson among the sick list. Mr. Wilson is absent for a day or two with an attack of the grip.

With the opening date for the

RUMMAGE SALE

Lumberton Ladies Aid
Friday P. M. All Day Sat.
Dec. 13 And 14
FRAZER
SHOE STORE

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KILLS COLDS
STOP THAT COLD BEFORE IT STOPS YOU—ASK FOR THE PURPLE BOX—AT YOUR DRUGGIST 25¢

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Talking, Thrilling, Mystery Marvel!
Last Time Tonight At 6:30
HAROLD LLOYD
—IN—
"WELCOME DANGER"

ADAIR'S

GIFT WEEK

Cooking Demonstration of Quick Meal Gas Ranges Daily At 2 P. M.

Our Store Will Be Open Tonight



If You Are Still On The Lookout For An Ideal Gift

here's where your quest ends!

SUCH an array . . . full to overflowing . . . replete with gifts that suit every taste and every pocketbook!

Gifts in whose enjoyment the entire family will share! Gifts that will grow old in service! A gift for a loved one! A gift for a favorite! a gift that will bear your message of love long after the happiness of Christmas itself is merely a memory. Such a gift is a gift of furniture. With it . . . and with your love . . . you present not only the gift itself . . . but joy, beauty and comfort . . . the joy of receiving a gift, the beauty that it represents, and the everlasting comfort that it conveys.

GIVE FURNITURE IF YOU WOULD HAVE YOUR GIFT BEAR YOUR MESSAGE THE YEAR ROUND

Here Are a Few of Our Suggestions

Occasional Tables $9.75 to $35
Gov. Winthrop Desk $59
Nest of Tables, (solid mahogany) $22
Sewing Tables ..$3.98 to $15
Occasional Chairs $9.75 to $35
Cedar Chests ..$11.75 to $38
Tea Wagons .....$24 to $33
Bird Cages .....$3.50 to $8.50
3 Pc. Living Room Suites at .....$72 to $250
Majestic Radios $137.50 to $167.50
Beauty Rest Mattress $39.75
Gate Leg Tables .....$16 to $28
Smoking Cabinets .. ..$1.25 to $15
Buffet Mirrors .....$6.50 to $25
Davenport Tables $9.50 to $24
End Tables .....$1.39 to $18
Pier Cabinet $16.50
Telephone Stands $4.75 to $15
Junior Lamps ..$5.75 to $29
Bridge Lamps ..$4.95 to $25
Console Tables ..$4.95 to $20
Spinet Desks .....$29 to $45
Bridge Sets $24
Love Seats $98
Breakfast Sets .....$22 to $48
Kitchen Cabinets .....$33 to $75
Quick Meal Gas Range $42 to $195
Fancy Pillows .....98c to $3.75
Magazine Baskets ..$2.98 to $7.50

20-24 N. Detroit St.

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Xenia, O.



GIVE FURNITURE

EVERYONE NEEDS AND WILL APPRECIATE SOMETHING FOR THE HOME





Christmas Morning and a FINE NEW CHAIR







WHAT could be more appropriate for the great home festival of the year than gifts of furniture?

Here is something that brings joy to each individual and at the same time brings new comfort and beauty into the home which every member of the family can share!

CHOOSE FROM THE GREATEST ARRAY OF CHRISTMAS VALUES IN XENIA'S HISTORY!

For months Xenia furniture buyers have been searching the markets for the unusual in Christmas merchandise. Come and see how successful we have been in securing the largest variety of new merchandise and the greatest values we have ever had the pleasure of offering Christmas shoppers. Your visit to the furniture stores places you under no obligations to purchase, but we know that once you see the beautiful selection of sensible furniture gifts offered, you will appreciate the logic of the phrase "THIS CHRISTMAS GIVE FURNITURE."

A gift to the home is a gift to all and it is a gift that keeps on giving throughout the year.

May we suggest an easy chair for Dad, to give rest to weary nerves; a charming occasional table, to add a touch of hominess or lamps with attractive shades. In fact to try to list them would be almost an endless task, so we will just extend a cordial invitation to everyone to visit Xenia's furniture stores and allow them to assist you in making selections of enduring gifts.





XENIA Furniture stores will be glad to assist you in your Christmas shopping by cashing your Christmas savings check.

IT is not necessary for you to make purchases in order to have your savings check cashed. We will welcome your visit to our stores.



MODERNISTIC ART; ARE NOW SOPHISTICATED



Christmas greeting cards this year register the influence of modernistic art. Here are a few designs.

By Central Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Variety is the keynote of the 1929 Christmas greeting cards, but all register unmistakably the influence of modernistic art to an unprecedented extent. The old, old Christmas symbols are there, of course—in fact this year they seem to have espoused Cueism, so unmistakably are they growing better and better, but they insist that we should not be misled into considering them old fashioned. Not at all. They are in fact intriguingly mondaine in a newly sophisticated use of brighter colors, striking backgrounds, and more boldly defined designs.

Characteristic old English and New England views, for instance, keep in step with fashion with subtle touches of novelty in drawing and coloring, and those good old standbys, Santa Claus and his reindeer, not to mention the festive candles and trees without which no December 25th is worthy of the name. All present a certain spontaneity and freshness directly traceable to the new note in current art.

For the real devotees of modernism there are interpretive designs of cubes and triangles and rectilinear reindeer and what not. For those who think a card showing two red circles to designate the season's jovial patron saint is going a bit far, and who want the same old spirit expressed as usual—only differently—the new art provides bigger and brighter reproductions of the familiar favorite motifs. Even at that modernism winks at the spirit of Christmas and slips one over by lining the envelopes with multi-hued fantasies of geometric color.

The more formal and dignified cards never before have sounded such a high note of real artistry, due to the increasing vogue for retaining such cards for framing or other decorative uses. Conspicuous are the signed etchings, many of which are hand-colored, and which include works of well-known artists. A number of reproductions of old masterpieces also are displayed, often set off by the moyen-age illuminated parchments, and Biblical scenes, notably the Three Wise Men or the star of Bethlehem, form the basis for several lovely designs.

Children have received special consideration in the matter of appropriate cards for them to send and receive. Tumbling clowns and military wooden soldiers, toys and animals in endless array promise that the juvenile holiday mail is going to be as fascinating to Johnny and Mary as the toys in the Christmas stocking.

Bishop Cannon's Son Escapes Jail Dinner Thanksgiving Day



Major R. B. Cannon, who states that he is the son of Bishop James Cannon, Jr., of the Methodist Church South, was about to sit down to a Thanksgiving dinner behind the bars of a Los Angeles prison when he gained his freedom. His trouble arose from wage claims filed against him which landed him in jail.

OPERATING SLOT MACHINES

Renewing their campaign to rid Greene County of slot machines, county authorities confiscated five of the machines and cited the owners of three places of business to appear in Probate Court at 2:30 p. m. Thursday to answer to affidavits charging them with keeping gambling machines.

Those cited to appear in court are: Nora Duellman, proprietress of Rest Haven Park, Dayton Pike; Hugh Marshall, operator of a filling station on the Dayton Pike near Beavercreek High School, and C. L. Monnett, said to be the owner of Woodlawn Inn, a combination filling station and refreshment stand on the Springfield Pike, near Yellow Springs. Monnett, authorities say, denied ownership of the one slot machine found at the Woodland Inn.

Two slot machines were taken at Rest Haven Park and two at Marshall's filling station.

Deputy Sheriff George Sugden and L. A. Davis, county road patrolman, who confiscated the machines and issued the citations, reported these were the only devices found in operation when they made a tour of the county Wednesday afternoon. The machines were taken to the sheriff's office.

The latest drive directed against slot machines revives a similar campaign inaugurated about four months ago by Prescutor J. Carl Marshall, who served notice, through the sheriff's office, that the operation of all such devices in the county must be discontinued.

Owners of places of business in which slot machines were permitted were given three days in which to remove the devices. After the deadline date, authorities made a tour of the county and found the ultimatum had been complied with. As a result no machines were confiscated and no arrests were made at that time.

Investigation made recently by the sheriff's office, however, disclosed that owners of a number of places of business in various parts of the county had again installed the machines, according to Sheriff Ohmer Tate.

First regular meeting of the newly-organized Avio Club of America, composed of about 100 Boy Scouts of Greene County, scheduled for Friday night at the Xenia Flying School headquarters at the Robbins and Myers, Inc., plant on Home Ave., will be held at 6 o'clock instead of 7:30 o'clock, it is announced. The meeting is expected to be over by 8 o'clock, enabling the boys to attend the Xenia Central-Waynesville basketball game.

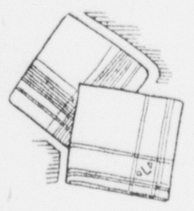
Children's Colds
Checked without "dosing." Rub on
VICKS VAPORUB
OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Now a 6 Volt--11 Plate
Delco Battery
For Only with old battery $6.95
Get Your Anti-Freeze Here—All Kinds
XENIA AUTO NECESSITY
Tom and Dick—The Tire Boys
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"Naught Can Compare With Gifts To Wear"
Useful Gifts That Men Appreciate

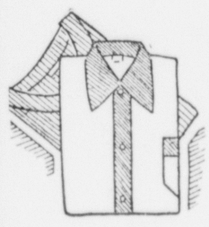
Every gift from The Criterion for a man or boy will please him for it bears the stamp of quality. Again we urge you to come in early while the selection of gifts is at its best. We mention below just a few of the many suitable and useful gifts.



MEN'S AND BOYS' HANDKERCHIEFS
A wide variety of plain or fancy handkerchiefs in linen or silk.
10c to $1.00 each

DRESS HOSE
Men's silk and wool, Cashmere, fine lisle or pure silk in plain or fancy numbers.
25c to $1.50

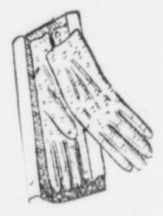




PAJAMAS
Of fine broadcloths and madras. Large assortment of snappy patterns and plain colors.
$2 to $5

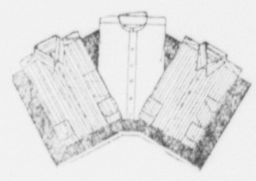
SUSPENDER AND GARTER SETS
In attractive gift boxes. Just the thing for father, son or brother. Beautiful sets from
$1.50 to $2.50





GLOVES
Fine dress gloves for men and boys. Capes, Mochas, pigskins, lined or unlined.
$2 to $7.50

DRESS SHIRTS
White or fancy shirts in collar attached, collar to match or neckband styles. Also some fine silk numbers.
$1.50 to $7.50



New novelties in Rayon Silk Dressing Gowns, Radio Coats, Leather Goods and Men's Jewelry.

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Shopping Made Easy

There's a certain satisfaction in knowing that you don't have to run yourself ragged to do Xmas shopping. Glance over these items—fill your list from them.

WOMEN'S
Rayon Undies
Beautiful rayon underwear in bloomers, chemise, etc. The gift every woman loves. Select her gift from large assortment.
98c

RAYON
Lounging Robes
Luxurious "silky" rayon lounging robes; Satin Collars and trimmings; smartest patterns and colors. Navy, gray, wine, green, etc.
$4.95



Appropriate For Holiday Festivities
METALLIC HATS
$2.45 and $3.95
Bright shimmering gold and silver hats....fashion's latest decree for holiday frocks and dark winter coats, it brightens them up so....Close fitting cloches....visor effects....skull models....long backs....in fact every new detail for every holiday occasion.
Bright new pastel felts for winter wear....worn with smart dark coats.....or to blend with the new smart evening frocks.

BOYS'
Shirts-Blouses
Splendid selection of Boys' Shirts and Blouses—in the newest colorings—a practical suggestion for his Christmas, all sizes.
89c

MEN'S
Gift Ties
Splendid assortment of Men's Gift Ties—in unusual colorings and patterns—all silk four-in-hand ties.....with wool linings.
89c

WOMEN'S
Kerchiefs
Women's dainty boxed Kerchiefs—3 in box.... plain white with novelty centers and borders—all new—an ideal gift.
25c and 48c Box

GLORIA SILK
Umbrellas
Handsome 16-ribbed Gloria Silk Umbrellas for women and misses .... Shown in attractive shades with neat handles—in colors.
$2.45 - $2.95

GIFT SALE OF
Men's Shirts
Fine Shirts—collar-attached. In plain and novelty broadcloth, madras, etc.; all first quality; guaranteed colors; all sizes and sleeve lengths.
95c to $2.25

RAYON
Bed Spreads
Handsome Rayon Bedspreads—featuring the all-over jacquard patterns—in every wanted color—rose, blue, green, helio and gold.
$2.95

Silk Hose
Famous first-quality—full fashioned top-to-toe service weight pair—
95c

MEN'S
Scarfs
Large size silk squares in a host of desirable bright and conservative patterns. Special, each
75c and $1.19

Princess Slips
Beautiful lustrous Rayon; pastels and street colors; all sizes. Very unusual at
98c

NEGLIGEES
Coolie Coats
Luxurious negligees of satin—in a great selection of exquisite patterns and colorings.
$4.95

Xenia Bargain Store
24 No. Detroit St. Xenia, O.

Sensible Gifts
For The Motorist
It's the little things that count most—they come in handy at the right time. These items are a few that come in that class. Giving them will make motoring a pleasure.

CHAINS
Weed and Goodyear.
You'll never "feel yourself slipping" with these.

Fisk Tires
Premier
29x4.40 ---- $5.75
30x4.50 ---- $6.95

Flashlights
From pocket sizes to 500 ft. beam lites.
49c up

Spark Plugs
A. C., Champion
Gives your car new life.

Batteries
Storage Batteries for car or radio.
$6.25
With old battery.

Bicycles
The sure way to a boy's heart.
$27.00

WINTER GASOLINE
Does make a big difference. We offer Indian Red, Ethyl, Hitest.

WINTER MOTOR OILS
Why make your poor old gears work overtime. Change now to winter oil.

ANTI-FREEZE
It's cheaper to put it in your car than to buy a new block.
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THURSDAY

WLW:
6:00—Temperature reports.
6:00—Willsey's Orchestra.
6:30—Theis' Orchestra.
7:00—Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce program.
7:15—Tony's Scrap Book.
7:30—The Story of An Opera.
8:00—Lehn and Fink Serenade.
8:30—Champion Sparkers.
9:00—Billiken Troupers.
9:30—Maxwell House Concert.
10:00—Hollingsworth Hall.
10:30—Henry Fillmore and His Band.
11:00—Maids of Melody.
11:20—Tony's Scrap Book.
11:30—Los Amigos—The Friends.
12:00 Mid.—Bernie Cummins and His Orchestra at Hotel Gibson.
12:30 a. m.—Andy Mansfield and Virginia Lee.
1:00—Theis' Orchestra.

WCKY:
7:01 p. m.—Dance orchestra.
7:20—Sports Review.
7:30—Studio feature.
9:00—Smith Brothers.
9:30 — Cincinnati Christian Glee Club.
10:00—Atwater Kent program.

WKRC:
6:00—The Big Store Santa Claus.
6:30—Mayor Christmas Carolers.
7:00—Tommie and Willie.
7:30—Five program suggestions.
7:32—Health Talk.
7:40—Adolph and Otto.
8:00—Levitow's Ensemble.
8:15—Political Situation in Washington Tonight.
8:30—Lights of Broadway.
9:00—True Detective Mysteries.
9:30—Around the Samovar.
10:00—Temple Hour.
10:30—National Forum from Washington.
11:02—Kling's Orchestra.
11:30—Orchestra.

WSAI:
7:00—French-Bauer Trio.
7:30—Mell and Dell, Melodious Delvings.
8:00—Fleischmann hour.
9:00—Seiberling Singers.
9:30—Jack Frost's Melody Moments.
10:00—Radio Victor.

FRIDAY

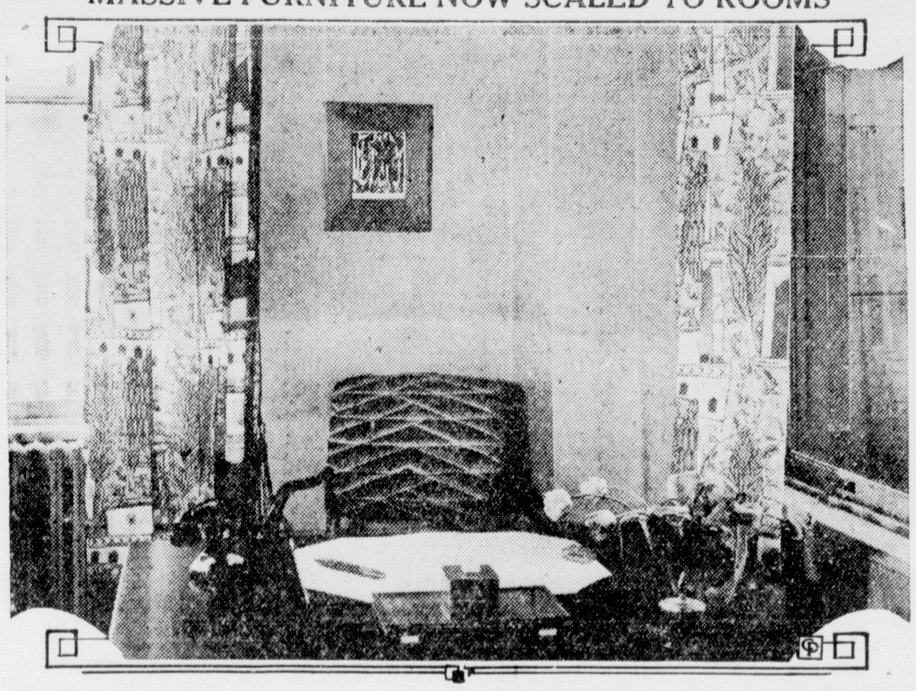
WCKY:
8:00 a. m.—Piano and organ recital.
8:15—Morning devotions.
8:30—Cheerio.
9:00—Morning melodies.
9:30—My New Kentucky Home.
10:01—Kentucky Belle Melodies.
10:15—Kentucky Merchants' hour.
10:45—Heinz program.
7:01 p. m.—Ferman Freie Presse.
7:30—Studio feature.
9:01—Murdock-Williams.
9:30—Philco Theater Memories.
10:00—Wrestling matches, Music Hall.

WSAI:
9:50 a. m.—Livestock reports.
10:30—National Home hour.
11:00—Music Appreciation Hour.
p. m.—Organ program.
7:30—Cincinnati Better Business Bureau talk.
7:30—Behind the Footlights.
8:00—Cities Service concert orchestra.
9:00—Harbor Lights.
9:30—Schradertown Band.
10:00—Planters Pickers.

WKRC:
8:45 a. m.—Sears-Roebuck Shopping program.
9:15—Freed Frolic.
9:45—Fashion Talk.
10:00—National Radio Homemakers' Club.
10:30—The Homekeepers.
11:00—Nell Vinick.
11:15—Rosebud Menus.
11:25—Recipe period.
11:30—Health Talk.
12:00 Noon—Hair Beauty.
12:15 p. m.—F. D. Lawrence Melodies.
12:30—Yoeng's Orchestra.
1:00—United Radio Matinee.
1:30—Savoy Plaza Orchestra.
2:00—Noelcke program.
2:30—Patterns in Print.
3:00—Krauss Bridge Tea program.
3:30—For Your Information.
4:00—Zenith Harmonies.
4:30—Club Plaza Orchestra.
5:00—Dr. Thatcher Clark's French lesson.
5:15—Max Wocher program.
5:35—Youngerman's Cozy Homes.
5:40—Orpheum program.
5:55—Thumbnail Sport Sketches.
6:00—Santa Claus.
6:30—Mayor Christmas Carolers.
7:00—Tommie and Willie.
7:30—Five Program Suggestions.
7:32—Health Talk.
7:40—Adolph and Otto.
8:00—Brown-Bilt Footlights.
8:—Eversharp Penmen.
9:00—True Story Hour.
10:30—Curtis Institute of Music program.
11:02—Kling's Orchestra.
11:30—Lyman's Orchestra.

WLW:
6:30 a. m.—Top O' the Morning.
7:30—Organ program.
8:00—Morning exercises.
8:30—Devotions.
9:00—Woman's hour with musicale
10:00—Vocal solos.
10:15—We Fashionables.
10:40—Financial talk.
11:00—Music appreciation hour.
12:00 Noon—Early and Daniel program.
12:15 p. m.—Organ program.
12:30—Cummins' Orchestra.
1:00—National farm and home period.
1:45—Town and country.
2:00—Central States School of the Air.
3:00—The matinee players.
4:00—Pacific Little Symphony.
5:00—Ten time tunes.
5:40—Marucci Trio.
5:50—Lucky Sambo.
6:00—Temperature report.
6:00—Theis Orchestra.
6:30—Uncle Don.
7:00—The Art and Science of the Potter.
7:15—Tony's Scrap Book.
7:30—Dixie Circus Series.
8:00—Triadors.
8:30—Doctor Wifco.
8:45—Famous loves.
9:00—Interwoven Entertainers.
9:30—Heatrolatown.
10:00—Armstrong Quakers.
10:30—Armour program.
11:00—Time announcement.
11:00—Hall Duo.
11:20—Tony's Scrap Book.
11:30—Crosley Burnt Corkers.

MASSIVE FURNITURE NOW SCALED TO ROOMS



Sturdy furniture of the seventeenth and eighteenth century English type, much of which has previously been too massive for use in apartments, is now being scaled to the proportions of the modern room. The group pictured shows a corner of a living room in which feminine taste and a regard for masculine comfort have been nicely balanced. This is neither a man's nor a woman's room, and one in which both will feel at home. Substantial comfort and good taste are equally essential to the development of a harmonious room scheme. The design was selected by Ellen D. Wangner, editor of the American Home Magazine

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Leather heels for women's shoes are now being manufactured on a small scale by The Krippendorf-Dittman Co., S. Detroit St., reviving an operation that was discontinued at the Xenia shoe factory about twenty years ago.

A one-story brick building in the rear of the plant, previously used for storage purposes, was fitted up for the new purpose and necessary equipment was installed.

The additional operation is furnishing employment to three workers at present but eventually about ten persons are expected to be employed at turning out heels. The capacity per day is 1,000 pairs of heels.

Announcement was made that the company decided to make leather heels for its own use because of the difficulty in obtaining heels of the right grade and good quality in this section of the country. Previously the company purchased its supplies of heels.

Eventually production is expected to be increased to a point where the plant will also sell leather heels to other shoe manufacturers.

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Bay Gelding, 12 years old. Brown Mare, 12. Black Gelding, 4. Black Gelding, 3. These last two are broken to work.

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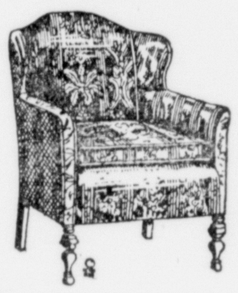
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THE HOME OF GIVE FURNITURE

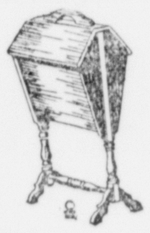
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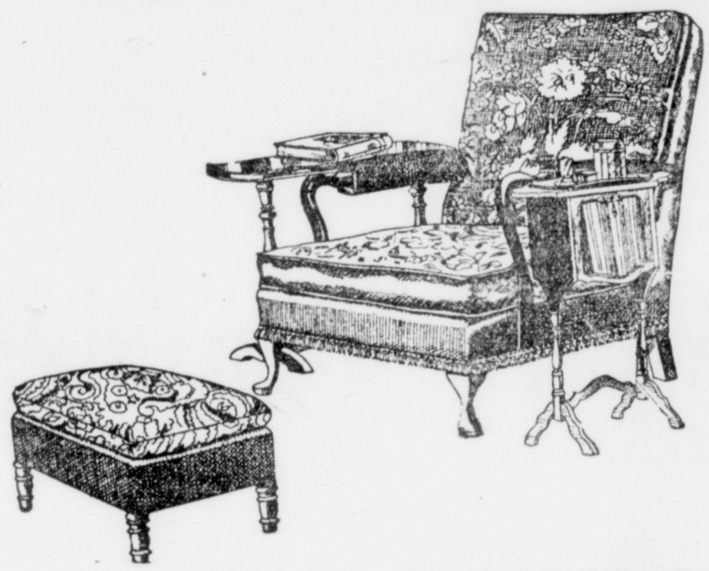
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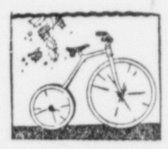
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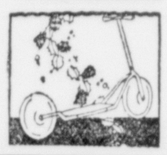
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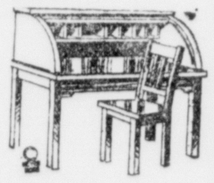
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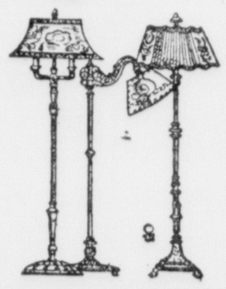
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FULL UP CHAIRS

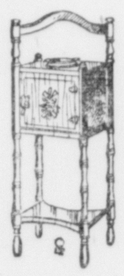


Attractive Chairs upholstered in long wearing tapestries and velours.

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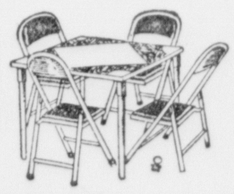
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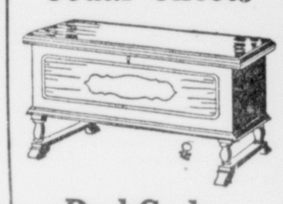
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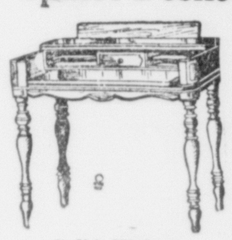
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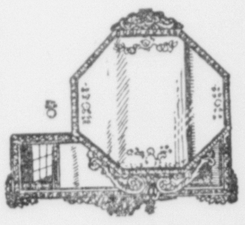
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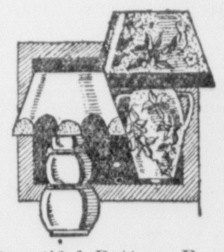
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Troubles multiplied rapidly Wednesday for Melville Jackson, colored, proprietor of a billiard parlor in Yellow Springs.

Originally arrested on affidavits charging him with selling and possessing liquor as an outgrowth of raids conducted by county and state authorities last Thursday, Jackson had entered not guilty pleas when arraigned in Common Pleas Court and was placed under $800 bond.

He was arraigned in Probate Court Wednesday on a charge of operating a restaurant without a license, pleaded not guilty and his hearing was assigned for December 27 at 9:30 a. m. His bond was fixed at $200.

The affidavit accused him of operating the restaurant without a license for nearly a year. The maximum penalty for this violation is a fine of $10 a day and if convicted of the charge, Jackson would face a possible fine of nearly $3,600.

Authorities then took Jackson to the court of R. O. Copsey, Xenia Twp. justice of the peace, where he was arraigned on another affidavit accusing him of exhibiting unlawful goods. He pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the grand jury under $500 bond.

Jackson furnished all bonds requested and was released.

The World And All

BY CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

CONSIDERATIONS

President Andrew Johnson's picture has never been on a postage stamp. Nor has James Buchanan ever been thus honored. And I don't remember seeing Chester A. Arthur, with his grand side-whiskers, on any postage stamp I've ever licked.

Up to date no American postage stamp has borne the face of a living American. That's all right as a general rule, but I think we should break the rule for Lindbergh. We don't get to honor such a hero every year. Don't get careless about Lindbergh's heroism, just because he's married and settled down.

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There are only seventy women airplane pilots in this country, I read in the North American Review. Seven of these qualify as transport pilots. Ten have commercial licenses. There are about 7,500 men pilots. Wait a year or two, and you'll see the women catching up. They didn't get started until after the war.

Here's a job for big money. Establish a central clinic and statistical office for the chain in America, and publish reports and studies as often as necessary to keep the whole scientific world informed of the progress that is made. The cost of one month's first-class war would do it, and the result reasonably to be expected would be elimination of most deaths from these most prolific causes within forty or fifty years.

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Byrd will not be the last widely exploited explorer. An enterprising young man, with good connections and army or navy backing (unofficial), could "do a Byrd" next year or the year after in the far north, and possible cures of heart diseases, common colds and cancer, all over the world, furnishing opportunity for the ablest surgeons and scientists of all nations to work and study under the best possible conditions. Establish a central clinic and statistical office for the chain in America, and publish reports and studies as often as necessary to keep the whole scientific world informed of the progress that is made. The cost of one month's first-class war would do it, and the result reasonably to be expected would be elimination of most deaths from these most prolific causes within forty or fifty years.

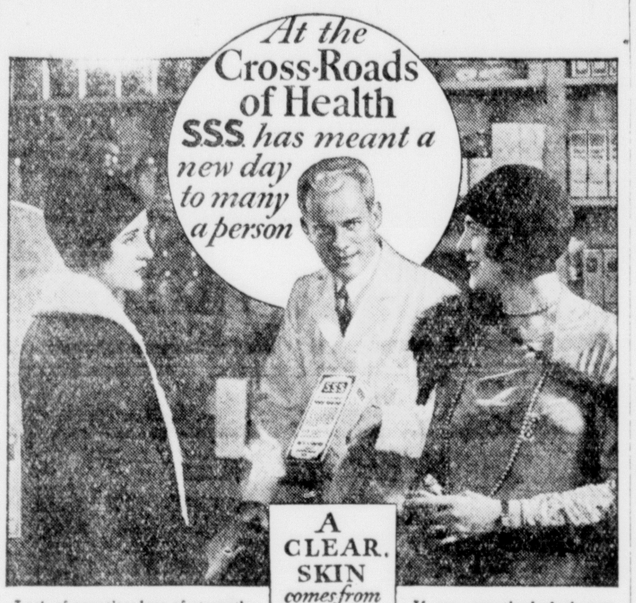
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Byrd will not be the last widely exploited explorer. An enterprising young man, with good connections and army or navy backing (unofficial), could "do a Byrd" next year or the year after in the far north, ocean. I think the ocean floor furnishes the most promising field for exploration, and will yet yield fame and fortune to several pioneer adventurers.

I agree with the rest of them that the country is fundamentally prosperous. But I can't agree that there's no further danger of war, or that the signing of treaties and calling of conferences will ever obviate the danger of war. Sign treaties, to be sure. Call conferences, and many of them. But let's not take the treaties and conferences too seriously. No other people takes them seriously. We'll be out of luck some day if we sink all our ships and burn up all our gas masks, under the delusion that universal peace has come upon us in the night. Some day we'll have true and lasting world-wide peace, with war an utter impossibility. But we'll have plenty of time to wear out forty or fifty navies between now and then.



Lack of appetite, loss of strength, skin eruptions, that "tired feeling" and other human ills may be due to a lack of red-cells in your blood.

If you are tired—lack pep—if your skin is not clear—if your appetite is "gone"—you owe it to yourself and friends to try S.S.S.

"MY despair was so great I could have cried. The good cheer and merry happiness of others only mocked at my condition. I had begun to wonder why life could be so cruel. No appetite. No strength. Skin blemishes always embarrassed me. Aches and pains coursed through my body. I wanted to restore my health and live. What was I to do? . . . happily the day came and I found the right road to Health when a friend recommended S.S.S."

You may be one of the thousands with a low blood count—to this may be attributed "run-down" systems, skin troubles, and even more serious ailments. It is very dangerous to let the blood count remain below normal.

With an increase in the red-blood-cells you will be on the right road to Health. This is Nature's way to body power and to clear skin. Naturally, with your strength restored, it is easier to fight disease and infection; to enjoy your food and to sleep soundly. When firm flesh takes the place of that which was once flabby, you will feel strong—your nerves will become steady—more happiness and friends will follow.

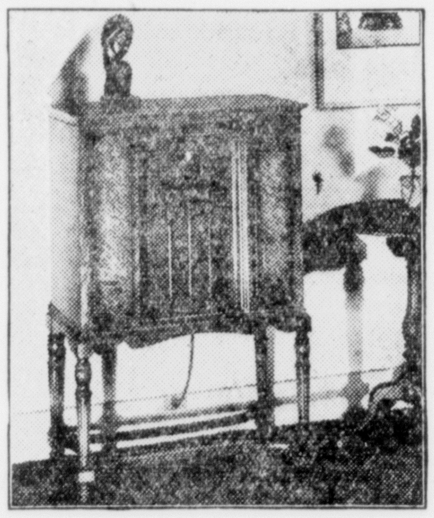
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Come!

NOT only is toyland in full swing with hundreds of children and grown-ups visiting it every day—but our first and second floors are loaded with every manner of Christmas gifts. Many things for men, for boys, for girls and for women of all ages.

ALSO there is the new first floor gift section in which are found articles of pewter, brass, silver, glass, pottery and novelties gathered from all over the world. A lively, interesting section. You will be much pleased with it we know.



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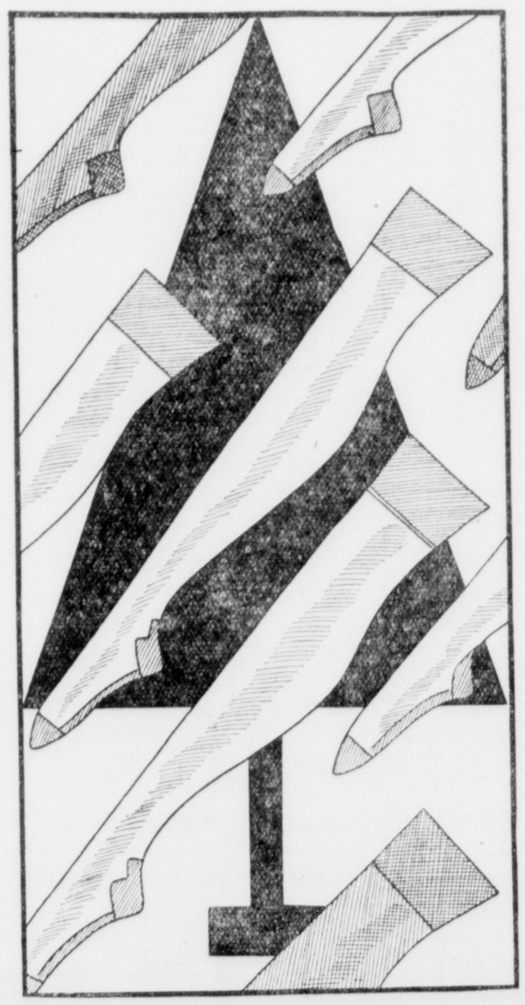
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AIR SICKNESS IS BEING OVERCOME

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.—A survey made public by the Trans-continental Air Transport, Inc., reveals that passengers suffering from air sickness have decreased 50 per cent during the past four months. The check was made by T. A. T. and Maddux Air Lines Couriers.

When service first was started on the Transcontinental line last July, it was found that 7 per cent of the travelers suffered in some degree from air sickness. During the past month this was found to have decreased to 3 per cent.

Air sickness has been found to be equally divided between men and women, although at first women were found in the majority, according to the report.

The report also points out that most cases of air sickness are caused by the natural nervousness of the passenger making his first flight. This condition generally is relieved after the plane has been in flight a short time.

BELLBROOK

The two "Boy Evangelists" Emenegger and Hicks, of the Assemblies of God congregation, will start a three weeks' protracted meeting at the town hall on Wednesday evening, December 18. First class music, with vocal and instrumental, will be furnished during their entire stay. Meeting each night in the week except Monday.

Howard Morris had the sad misfortune last Monday to loose the index finger on his left hand and to have the one next to it torn in two near the middle joint, while feeding a corn husker.

Persons who have not had a chance to know of the provisions of the new school bus law, are warned that the passing of a school bus with another vehicle while children are being loaded or unloaded, will subject the offender to a fine of not less than $10 or not more than $100 and be imprisoned in the county jail not to exceed thirty days or both.

Bellbrook boys and girls won both games from the Spring Valley boys and girls at the Schoolhouse on last Friday night. Boys' score, 22 to 17; girls' score, 36 to 16.

CHEST SORENESS YIELDS... though relief is frequent with one application, Musterole is most usually effective when applied once an hour for five hours. It penetrates and stimulates.
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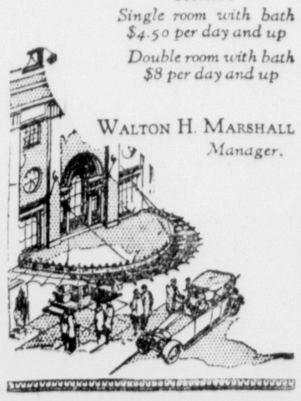
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ADMIRABLY situated on the Crest of Murray Hill. It is convenient to the business, shopping and theatre centers and to the Pennsylvania and New York Central Railway Terminals. B. & O. Motor Coaches stop at the entrance.

Its clientele is made up of intelligent travellers from all parts of the World. One finds in the dining rooms excellent service and a perfect cuisine. Every bedroom is an outside room and each one has its own private bath.

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Single room with bath $4.50 per day and up
Double room with bath $8 per day and up



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On Seventh Voyage Over Sea of Matrimony



Mrs. Elsie Hesse-Larsen-Smith-Crossley-Seaman-Metzer-Wood has added the name of James G. Flesher to her already long list. This is her seventh fling at the matrimony game, divorce courts having divested her of four of her former mates.

BLACK ON GRAY TAG COLORS FOR 1931

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12.— Although the 1930 automobile license plates cannot be used until December 21, Secretary of State Brown and Motor Vehicle Commissioner Wilson have already selected the colors for the 1931 licenses and the work of manufacturing them will start at the Ohio Penitentiary early in January.

The 1931 tags will have black figures on a background of light gray, the 1930 tags, which will on automobiles, have white letters and numerals on a maroon background.

SPRING VALLEY

The ladies of the community room will hold a chicken supper and Christmas bazaar, December 14. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sims, who were called here by the serious condition of their sister, Mrs. Ruth Stingley, left for their home at Huntington, W. Va., Sunday evening. Mrs. Stingley was removed from the McClellan Hospital Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Thomas and son of Dayton, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walton and family. Mrs. Lena Barrett and daughter Gwendolyn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walton of Dayton the Walton home.

Mr. D. W. Gorham of Xenia and Mrs. Ella Trump of Wilmington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Compton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Compton and daughter Delyte of Troy were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Compton.

Postmaster F. M. Hiatt, who has been sick for several weeks is improving slowly. Mrs. Hiatt, who has also been sick is able to be out again.

Mr. Ray Noggle has accepted a position at the Arch Copsey grocery.

Mrs. Jennie Underwood was called to Detroit, Mich., Thursday evening by the serious illness of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Val Sims' Sunday dinner guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sims and son Carl of Huntington, W. Va., their after- Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. James Sears and Mr. and Mrs. Ogburn of Dayton.

The P. T. Club held its regular meeting at the town hall Tuesday evening. After a short business session, the losing side of the membership contest put on an entertainment of music, recitations, dialogues and playlets. The parts were well taken and well played and were much enjoyed by the large crowd present.

Mr. Wm. Lambert spent Saturday at his home in West Jefferson.

Mr. I. Bloch and Mr. Henry Walton were the victims of thieves Friday night. Mr. Bloch lost merchandise and Mr. Walton money and gasoline.

Mr. William Scarff is suffering from an infection in his hand.

Closing Out

Entire Stock of Cooking Utensils
Aluminum Ware, Granite Ware,
Pyrex, Galvanized Tubs, Buckets
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All Prices Greatly Reduced

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Health—Happiness And A Just Pride



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Really, you can't blame her. Who wouldn't drag her friends out into the kitchen to show off her new General Electric Refrigerator? There it stands, gleaming white, strong as a safe, incredibly quiet.

For a gift that gives all-year usefulness, that makes every-day tasks lighter, that safeguards health, the General Electric is really ideal. It makes a generous supply of ice cubes and freezes those luscious desserts which every hostess enjoys serving.

When you buy a General Electric you are choosing the one and only electric refrigerator which has an *all-steel* cabinet. And all the mechanism is hermetically sealed in a steel casing mounted on top . . . out of the way, dust-proof, never needs oiling . . . . leaving the greatest cabinet area for food storage. It has an accessible freezing regulator which allows you to control freezing-speeds. It causes no radio interference.

For a record of performance, can any other refrigerator equal this . . . . 350,000 in use and no owner has spent a single dollar for repairs or service? When you are deciding on the gift that will best serve the whole family, consider the sound value which the General Electric Refrigerator offers and remember that spaced payments can readily be arranged.

If you like really good music tune in on the General Electric Hour broadcast every Saturday evening.

GENERAL ELECTRIC
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Smart d'Orsay boudoir slippers in the gleaming new Zapon finish. Black, Red or Blue. Cushion sole. And only
98c

Hurry! Time is Flying!
Remember last year—how you rushed frantically at the last minute! Shop NOW—it is EASIER.

Someone on your gift list will appreciate a
Bathrobe

Chilly mornings and evenings when she slips into her gaily patterned blanket robe, she will appreciate the thought that prompted your gift . . . there are a number of styles from which to select . . . some with cord and some with satin trimmings . . . all with cord girdles. And they are surprisingly inexpensive for such attractive robes.

$2.98 to $4.98





Lace Trimmed Rayon
Underwear
Makes a Good GIFT
at 98c

Charming! Panties, Step-ins, Bloomers, Chemises and Combinations, also Dancettes with the daintiest lace inserts and medallions. A much finer quality, of course, than you'd ordinarily expect to find at this exceedingly low price!

Sateen Bound, Double
BLANKETS
How warm these double plaid blankets of cotton-and-wool are! Sateen bound ends. Size: 72x84 inches. A Pair,
$3.98

Heavy Double Terry
BATH TOWELS
You can restock her towel closet quite inexpensively . . . quite satisfactorily if you choose these excellent all white or colored border towels, size 22 x 44 inches, each—
25c

Aywon Shaving Set
In Attractive Gift Box



A man's own choice in Christmas gifts. Useful, inexpensive.
The Package Contains—
Full-size tube of Shaving Cream, After-shaving Lotion, Men's Talc and Majestic Shaving Brush,
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Please Men With Shirts
For Christmas
$1.49
They're made with collars attached and in neckband style. Of fine broadcloths in neat stripe and figured effects. Splendid shirts for Christmas giving at a decidedly low price!



A Toilet Set
For Her
Comb and brush and mirror sets are the favorite gifts of ever so many women . . . you will find a number of very pretty sets from which to select . . . priced from
98c to $4.98

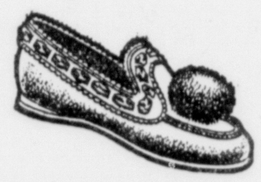
Cotton Blanket
Single
Good looking plaid blankets to use with heavier ones. Each
98c

Bath Robes
For Men
Beacon blanket robes, with shawl collar.
$2.98 to $6.90

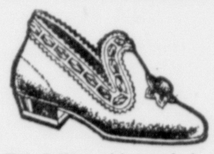
Men's Felt Slippers
A Feature Value—An Ideal Gift!
Made with the hylo collar that can be turned up to keep the ankles warm! Soft cushion sole.
$1.19



Choose This Felt Slipper
In the Color She Likes Best!



We have a good variety of the most wanted colors in this comfortable Felt Moccasin with ribbon trimming.
79c



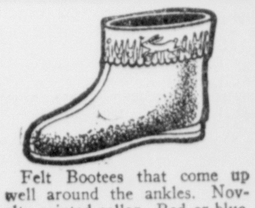
Felt Juliets with sturdy leather soles and rubber-tipped heels. Ribbon trimmed. In several favored colors.
$1.19



We have a good variety of the most wanted colors in this comfortable Felt Moccasin with ribbon trimming.
59c



Little girls will be delighted with a pair of these ribbon-trimmed felt slippers in red or blue.
Sizes 12 to 2 . . . . . 69c
Sizes 8 1-2 to 11 1-2 . 59c
Sizes 5 1-2 to 8 . . . . . 49c



Felt Bootees that come up well around the ankles. Novelty printed collar. Red or blue.
Sizes 12 to 2 . . . . . 79c
Sizes 8½ to 11½ 69c
Sizes 5 1-2 to 8 . . . . . 59c



Romeos, the neat house slipper! Brown kid, elastic sides and half rubber heels! Slippers unusual at,
$2.98



A whoop of delight will greet the gift of a pair of these "Boy Scout" Felt Everetts with scout design on toe. Only
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10 Beauty Culture.
11 Professional Services.
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13 Electricians, Wiring.
14 Building, Contracting.
15 Painting, Papering.
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17 Commercial Hauling, Storage.

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19 Help Wanted—Female.
20 Help Wanted—Male or Female.
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34 Apartments—Furnished.
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43 Wanted to Rent.
44 Storage.

REAL ESTATE
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AUTOMOTIVE
51 Automobile Insurance.
52 Auto Laundries—Painting.
53 Tires—Tubes—Batteries.
54 Parts—Service—Repairing.
55 Motorcycles—Bicycles.
56 Auto Agencies.
57 Used Cars For Sale.

PUBLIC SALES
58 Auctioneers.
59 Auction Sales.

DEAD STOCK
60 Horses—Cows, etc.

1 Card of Thanks

WE DESIRE TO express our deepest thanks to all the neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy to us in our late bereavement, the death of our beloved father, George Horn. Also Rev. Burkett and choir, Mr. Coffman for the way he conducted the funeral.

Mother and Children.

3 Florists; Monuments

CHRYSANTHEMUMS—Also tulip and hyacinth bulbs. R. O. Douglas, Monroe and Washington St. Ph. 549-W.

11 Professional Services

CARPENTER WORK wanted. Call Lawrence Fry, 51 Walnut St., or Ph. 375-R.

"KODAK AS YOU GO"—Have Daisy Clemans finish your pictures expertly. Room 9, Steele Building.



FELT HATS cleaned and blocked, $1. Made-to-measure suits and overcoats, $23.50 and up. Valet Press Shop.

12 Roofing, Plumbing

PIPES—Valves and fittings for all purposes. BOCKLET'S line of plumbing and heating supplies are the best. The Bocklet-King Co. 415 W. Main St.

17 Commercial Hauling

BEST MOVING and storage facilities in Xenia. Call 723 for prompt service. Lang Transfer.

NOTICE—Hauling of all kinds. Furniture carefully moved. Mendenhall Transfer. Phone 566-R.

CALL 710 for Mouser Transfer Co. Furniture carefully handled. Stoves disconnected and set up.

LOCAL and long distance hauling. Phone 965-W. Lewis F. Drake, 201 Dayton Ave., Xenia.

22 Situations Wanted

WILL TAKE care of children while mothers are away. Mrs. Ralph Harness, 240 S. West St.

24 Dogs—Canaries—Pets

CANARIES—Guaranteed singers. Mrs. William Dove. 131 Dayton Ave. Phone 1189-R.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

REGISTERED Guernsey bull, 3 yrs. old. Phone County 33-F-4.

JERSEY COW—Leo Lamka, Wilmington Pike. Xenia R. No. 6.

HAMPSHIRE male hog. C. A. Huff, Spring Valley. Box No. 54.

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On any kind of security you have to offer—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, LIVESTOCK or AUTOMOBILES.
AMERICAN LOAN CO.
Steele Bldg. Terms 4 Mo. To 4 Yrs.

26 Horses—Cattle—Hogs

GUERNSEY male calf. Phone 856.

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TWO ROOMS for light housekeeping, modern and clean. 333 W. Market St.

BIG TYPE Poland-China male pig. E. E. McCall, R. No. 2, Xenia. Ph. 76-14.

27 Wanted To Buy

WANTED—A used typewriter. Portable preferred. Phone 82-F-21.

28 Miscellaneous for Sale

LINOLEUM RUGS, 7 1-2x9 for $5. Other various sizes. Radios, gas and coal heaters. Mendenhall's Used Furniture Store.

120 EGG INCUBATOR, brass bed and springs, Victrola and records, gas heating stove, two 9x12 rugs, 50 lb. ice box, new bicycle. 141 Dayton Ave. Phone 678-M.

FREE ALADDIN LAMP. Call at our store for details. Huston-Bickett Hdwe. Co.

PIPE—All sizes, boiler tubes, angles, beams, channels, plates, etc. Also new rope, leather belting and other numerous articles. Xenia Iron and Metal Co., 17 Cincinnati Ave.

CHILD'S AUTOMOBILE, airplane type. Like new. Call 59-R after 6 p. m.

COOPER BATTERIES—$6.50 and your old battery. Carroll-Binder Co., E. Main St.

CHRISTMAS SETS—Special 95c. Eichman Electric, W. Main St.

GAS AND COAL heaters, cook stove and furniture at the right prices. Fudge Used Furniture Store.

29 Musical—Radio

MAJESTIC combination radio-victrola. Priced right. Adair Furniture Store.

PIANOS FOR SALE—$5.00 monthly. John Harbine, Allen Building.

SPARTON RADIO
Radio's Richest Voice
$179.50 to $795
Ask for demonstration
BALES MOTOR SALES
S. Detroit Phone 50

30 Household Goods

PUBLIC SALE—Household goods of late Lucretia Gowdy, Saturday, December 21, 1929, at 1:30 P. M., at No. 323 West Church Street, Xenia, consisting of furniture, stoves, dishes, kitchen utensils, blankets, quilts, linen, etc. Terms: Cash.—Bessie Huffman, Admx.

31 Wearing Apparel

CLOTH COAT for girl, 13 or 14 yrs. Good condition. Phone 1034-J.

34 Apartments— Furnished

THREE ROOM furnished apartment. 302 E. Market, corner of Monroe.

35 Apartments, Unfurnished

4 ROOM APARTMENT. Heat and water furnished. Geo. Dodds and Sons Co.

W. SECOND—Corner West St., one of new efficiency apartments. For couple or small family. Electrolux automatic refrigerator, stove, tub and shower. Two inador beds. $35 per mo. Inquire P. H. Flynn. Phone 1060.

39 Houses—Unfurnished

6 ROOM house and garage at 109 E. Third St.

A SIX room house at Goes Station. Call Hunt's Broom Factory.

FIVE ROOM double house with garage. All modern with furnace. Ph. 1141-W.

45 Houses for Sale

TWO STORY frame; 2-car garage; 7 rooms, strictly modern, located at 315 W. Market St. Pleasant location. See A. W. Tresise, Citizens Nat'l. Bank.

47 Real Estate for Exchange

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Three properties. Will take country homes in exchange. Three, five and seven room houses. See Harness and Bales, Allen Bldg.

48 Farms For Sale

6 ACRE TRUCK farm, located close to a good town. Good buildings. Priced to sell if sold at once. T. C. Long, 15 Green St.

49 Business Opportunities

CHATTEL LOANS. Notes Bought. Second Mortgages. John Harbine, Allen Building.

52 Auto Laundries—Painting

CAR WASHING and alemiting at Anderson's Rent-a-Car, S. Whiteman St.

LEGAL NOTICE

Alice Morgan, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 18th day of November, 1929 that John Morgan filed his certain petition against her in the Common Pleas Court, Greene County, Ohio praying for divorce on the ground of wilful absence for more than three years.

The defendant is further notified that said cause will be for hearing in said Court in Xenia, Ohio on and after the 28th day of December 1929 and that she must answer or demur prior thereto or judgment will be taken against her.

John Morgan.
MARSHALL & MARSHALL,
Attys. for Plaintiff.
(11-14-21-28, 12-5-12-19.)

MILITIA AND STATE TROOPERS RESTORE ORDER AFTER BREAK

(Continued From Page One)

forty year sentence, shot and killed.

The injured:

George E. Atkins, guard, wounded so critically he is expected to die.

John Bruton, guard, shot in stomach but expected to recover.

J. F. Van Hausen, guard, slightly wounded.

Milton Ryther, guard, wounded but will recover.

Max Becker, convict.

Earl Udwine, convict.

Clarence Scriber, convict.

Sergeant E. A. La Point, Oneida barracks, shot in right cheek.

Trooper Earl Fogarty, nose grazed by bullet.

Trooper William Stevens, slightly wounded in forehead.

It was not until darkness descended upon the grim old prison that the backbone of the rebellion was broken by a volley of shots from troopers, guardsmen and police and the last remnant of the mutineers fell mortally wounded or instantly killed.

They had been driven to a corner in the south wing of the building, and had elected to die rather than surrender.

The uprising had started shortly before 11 o'clock in the morning when a company of fifty of the most desperate criminals held within the prison walls was being marched through a corridor on the way to a yard for exercise. They were all men facing long years of penal service, some a whole lifetime, and the majority of them had participated in last summer's revolt and had done months of solitary confinement.

Upon a prearranged signal they seized their guards, and took their weapons from them. The principal keeper, Durnford, quickly learned of the incipient rebellion and dashed along a corridor toward the mutineers. As he came down the steps leading to the exercise yard one of the convicts who had seized a pistol from a guard, shot him down, and he died shortly after he was taken to a hospital.

One by one other guards came around corridors, or down stairways, and they were promptly corralled by the convicts. They were told that if they uttered a sound or made a false move they would be "plugged."

Warden Jennings meanwhile, chanced to pass through a wing of the building. He was on a customary daily tour of inspection. Suddenly a convict stepped out and shoved a pistol into his stomach.

"If you move, I'll shoot," said the convict, quietly, "come with me, warden. We want you to accompany us to the punishment gallery. You will have to 'cover us.' If you don't we're going to snuff you out."

Two other convicts, both of whom had obtained arms, came up alongside of the warden and the trio marched him to the punishment gallery. There the warden was handcuffed to one of the guards who had been seized. Six or seven guards had been corralled by the mutineers.

Guards were forced to open cell doors and release other prisoners.

Warden Jennings was told he would have to instruct the men "out in front" to let the convicts out of the prison, unmolested, or he would be slain. Convict Sullivan, one of the ringleaders, told him, if they didn't get their freedom "all of us will die together for we are determined to escape or die in the attempt and you'll die with us."

They scribbled a note, instructed the warden to sign it, but he refused. Had it not been for a priest who defiantly walked to where he was being held and counselled the convicts the warden might have been shot then and there. For hours the warden was held hostage until he was finally rescued by troops under a barrage of tear gas bombs and bullets.

This morning the gray prison was silent, but it showed the aftermath of yesterday's bloody siege. Sawdust covered the blood splotched corridor of the south wing of the prison, to which section the convicts had been herded in the final stages of the battle. Cells in this section were riddled with bullets.

Homer Thompson, confidential clerk at the prison, stated there was no likelihood of another flare-up. The convicts, in their cells, guarded more closely than ever, were grim and silent.

SHOP -R- GUIDE

Gifts For Her

OLD LADIES Comfort Shoes at Sanz Shoe Store, 32 E. Main St.

REAL SILK HOSIERY and lingerie. What more beautiful Christmas gift? Mary K. Sutton. 1247-R.

HOLIDAY Slippers from 50 cents up at Sanz Shoe Store. 32 E. Main St.

SWEETS TO THE SWEET. Handsomely boxed candies for Christmas. Order your holiday sweets and ice cream from us. The Xenia Candy Kitchen.

LADIES AND men's spats at Sanz Shoe Store, 32 E. Main St.

USE OUR lay-away plan. A small deposit will hold any article until Christmas. Famous Cheap Store.

WRIST WATCHES, diamond and cameo rings. Charters.

HANDBAGS—$3.89 up. Also stationery and Christmas cards. Sohn's Drug Store.

SEND HER a Conklin Fountain Pen or a box of Hollingsworth Candy from GEYER'S.

SEE OUR BOXED Gibson Card assortment, 12 cards 25c. GEYER'S.

TOILET NOVELTIES, scarfs, handkerchief sets, bouttonieres. Mina's Hat Shoppe.

Gifts For Him

GIVE OUR fancy boxed cigars, some of our choice tobaccos or a handsome pipe. Harness Cigar Store.

GIVE HIM a Conklin pen and pencil or a desk set from GEYER'S.

JEWELRY—Mens' and ladies'—watches, diamonds on our charge account plan. Xenia Mercantile Co., 12 E. Second St.

STRAP WATCHES, emblem rings and cigarette cases. At Charters Jewelry Store.

Gifts For The Family

ORDER your Christmas cards from Ralph Wallace. All kinds including boxed assortment. Taking orders for personal cards. Ph. 1127-R.

THE GIFT—the giver—and the recipient find favor through the SHOP-R-GUIDE.

SUBSCRIPTIONS for all kinds of magazines with Ralph Wallace make ideal gifts. Renew your old subscription with me. Ph. 1127-R.

WATCH OUR windows for Christmas specials. Miller Electric.

THERE'S A GIFT that is always appreciated — never duplicated — your photograph. Wheeler Studio.

8 LIGHT Mazda lamps, special price, Christmas tree sets. Miller Electric.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES, toilet goods, kodaks, fountain pens and pencils, stationery, etc. Sayre's Drug Store.

LUNCH WITH us when shopping downtown. GEYER'S.

CHRISTMAS Greeting cards, picture framing and stationery at L. S. Barnes and Co.

TWELVE PHOTOS from Canby's make twelve Christmas gifts. Now is the time to have family groups taken.

Gifts For The Home

PYREX DISHES and mountings. Huston-Bickett Hdwe. Co.

CROSLEY RADIOS. Authorized dealer. Harry Hagler. Phone Co. 96-F-5.

IT COSTS you nothing to watch the SHOP-R-GUIDE—but it will save you money to buy through this medium.

AN ALADDIN LAMP for Xmas, floor lamp, hanging lamp, table lamp. Huston-Bickett Hdwe. Co.

HAVE A PIANO or Victorola-Radio in your home Christmas. Give her a dozen Victorola records. Sutton Music Store.

Gifts For The Children

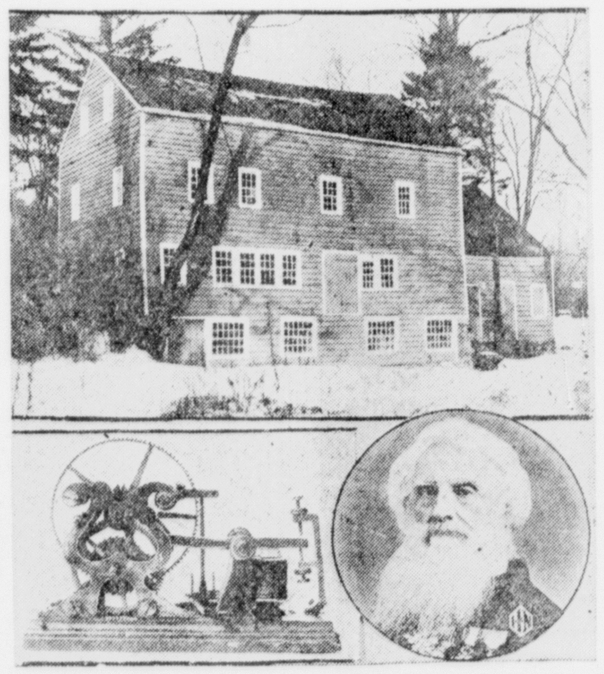
THE TOY and gift store. Buy now. Famous Cheap Store.

THERE'S A REAL Christmas service for you under the SHOP-R-GUIDE.

BEST TOYS in town. GEYER'S.

VISIT OUR TOYLAND—Third floor. Our new Gift Section—first floor. An unusually large selection of every manner of gifts in every department of our store. Jobe's.

Plan to Honor Samuel Morse In Ancient Town Celebration



Preparations are now being made for the celebration of the 150th anniversary of Morristown, N. J., the town where telegraphy was born. Among the historic spots in this ancient town is the home of Samuel Morse where, in conjunction with Alfred Vail, they sent out the first telegraph message on May 24th, 1844. The old house, the birthplace of this great invention, is shown above as it still stands in Morristown. Below is pictured the machine which was operated successfully more than 85 years ago. It will be interesting to compare the original with the machine of today. (Inset)—Samuel Morse, famous inventor.

COTTON STOCKINGS

BY ALMA SIOUX SCARBERRY

Author of "THE FLAT TIRE"

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CHAPTER XLVI

Rowdy knew the small dark man that lay on the sidewalk, his head supported by a policeman, while another bent over him with a notebook and pencil.

It was Sprinty Flynn.

Rowdy saw the blood beside him and it flashed through his mind in a moment what had happened. Close by lay two suit cases, and just a few feet away stood a big car with the motor going. There was no one in the car.

Sprinty had come to get the loot hidden under Rosalie's bed. A suspicious policeman had seen him slinking down the fire escape and called to him to halt. But instead, Sprinty had leaped toward the car and the policeman had fired. Three bullets entered his back.

Rowdy pushed his way to the officers' side.

"I'm from the Tribune."

They had to bend over close to hear the dying Sprinty as the officer questioned him.

"You was in Murphy's to get the stuff hid there? Whose room was it in?"

"Rosalie—March—Martino—"

"Where was the stuff from."

"Boggs—store—Martino—under the girl's bed—"

Rowdy knew that everything was up. Rosalie would be rearrested. He leaned over Sprinty—

"Flynn, listen to me. Rosalie March was innocent, wasn't she? She didn't steal the stuff—"

But it was too late. Sprinty's head rolled to the side, and he was gone. An ambulance clambered up and they carried him away. Kenessa stood wringing her hands when Rowdy went back to her and they went up stairs together.

A moment later a detective rang the bell. Mother met him, tears streaming down her face. Now what would happen to colleen? She would never come home.

The detective stepped in importantly:

"Whose got the room where the stuff was?"

"Sure, he knows nothin' about it," mother spoke up, defending Rowdy. "He's a friend of a girl I've been after knowin' for years. Nobody knowed the stuff was under the bed."

"Tell that to the judge," the detective laughed, sarcastically, and made his way upstairs.

It was Detective Bob Sears. Rowdy had known him ever since he became a reporter on the Tribune five years before. He did not recognize the black-haired man who opened the door and said easily:

"Hello, Sears."

The detective looked nonplussed. "I don't place you, mister."

"I don't blame you," Rowdy grinned, a little shakily, "but I'm Rowdy Dow."

"The hell you say."

Rowdy explained his disguise.

"I smelled a mouse on this story from the first, and I got the fool idea no one would know me if I'd hide behind this bush and fix myself up. This is my room."

"You—livin' here? Did you know the suitcases was under the bed?"

"Yes—I found 'em. I'm working in Boggs and Clarke's as a dick. The stuff is from the store. I checked up on it."

Sears laughed goodnaturedly.

"I seen you'd been scoopin' 'em all over the place on this yarn. What you got to tell me that'll be any good?"

Rowdy hesitated. He knew there was only one thing to do, however. That was to come clean with Sears as far as he dared. But, first he exacted a favor of him.

"Listen," Rowdy handed him a cigar and sat down to talk it over, "I want you to go with me to Rosalie March and let's take the kid up to the rogues' gallery and let her take a look over the pans of some of those birds up there. She's been framed cold—some of it her fault because she's so damned dumb and innocent, but you must give the kid a break."

"Do you think she knows all about this?"

"She knows a lot," Rowdy assured him, "but she is the innocent victim of these yeggs, and the girl is almost scared to death. They've been threatenng her life and everything else. She hasn't dared draw her breath since she's been in the store. Martino scared her into letting him plant the stuff in her room because she took a pair of stockings from the store."

He told the story as Rosalie had told him—with all the pitiful details of her shame at the cotton stockings. Sears was a big hearted man and he really felt sorry for her when Rowdy got through.

Rowdy wondered how much time he would have to work before they found out about Roy Andrews being taken away in a plane. If they beat him to that he would be sunk. And he hadn't the slightest idea where to begin without arousing suspicion.

"You play ball with me," he told Sears then, "and I'll play ball with you. There's a lot to be found out, and it will mean a good promotion for you if I have anything to say about it."

Sears nodded consent:

"You can't hurt my feelin's."

A little later the ringing of the telephone sent the hair standing on Rosalie's head. Who could be calling her? She picked up the phone with shaking hands. It was Rowdy.

"Hello," he said, softly. "Sprinty Flynn has been shot at Mother Murphy's, running away with the suitcases. I'm bringing a detective up with me to take you to the rogues' gallery. He doesn't know about the other affair. Be careful. We'll be there in about fifteen minutes."

Rosalie felt her doom was sealed. She would be known for a thief now. Everyone would think she had been one of Martino's accomplices.

Cold, and terror stricken, she put on her hat mechanically and sat waiting.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Farm Notes

TRACTORS REDUCE DEMAND FOR HORSE FEED

The introduction of tractors has greatly reduced the demand for horse feed, not only by reducing the number of horses but by lightening the amount of work so that the average feed per horse is less.

In 1910 the number of horses on Ohio farms was 910,000, and in 1920 the number was 810,000 according to the U. S. Census for the two decades. The number had further declined to 630,000 in 1925 and to 520,000 in 1929, as given in Ohio Agricultural Statistics, collected by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Department of Rural Economics co-operating and published by the Ohio Experiment Station. In addition the automobile and tractor have largely replaced the horse in the cities.

The average amount of feed consumed per horse has also decreased as more and more of the heavy farm work is being done by tractors. F. L. Morison, of the rural economics department, finds from cost account records kept in Greene and Medina Counties that the average amount of grain per horse fed in 1924 was 2936 pounds and in 1924 only 2158 pounds. The amount of roughages for the same year was 5677 pounds and 4676 pounds.

During the five years in which these records were kept the number of tractors increased from three to fifteen on the thirty-two farms of record in the two counties. Although the number of farms in this study is small they are fairly representative in showing the decline in demand for horse feed.

Aimee And Mother Reconciled Enjoy Their Daily Rides Together



Their past differences forgotten, Aimee Semple McPherson (left) and her mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, take their daily exercise together through Griffith Park, Los Angeles. They are pictured above on their favorite mounts.



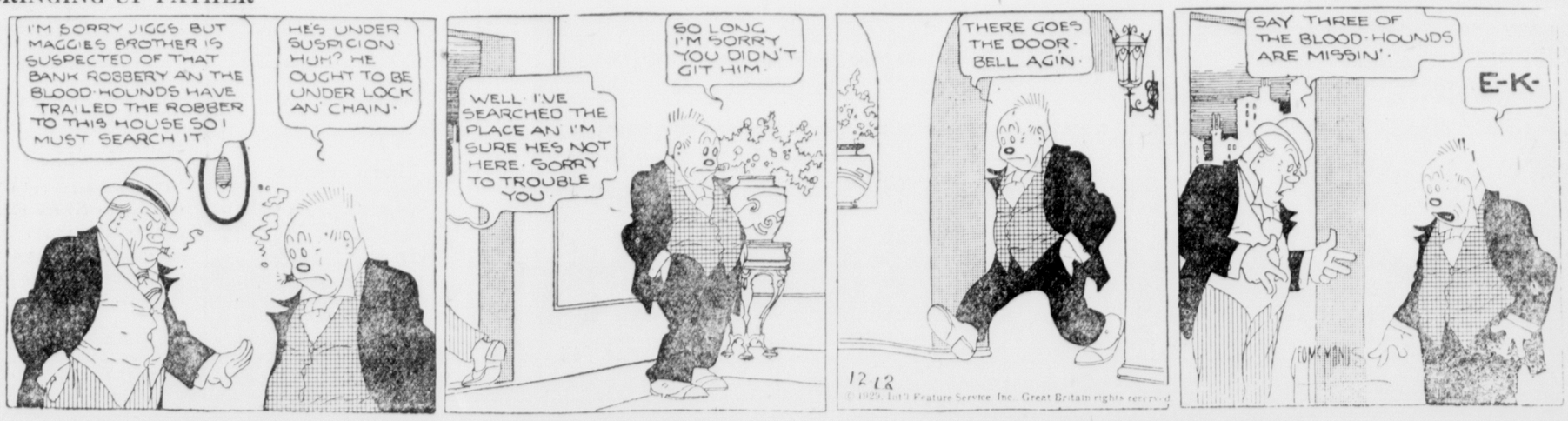
IT WON'T BE LONG!

With Christmas rapidly approaching, shopping crowds on Xenia's streets and in the city's stores are increasing daily.

Christmas shopping is no longer the bugbear it was formerly—thanks to the SHOP-R-GUIDE. Wise gift purchasers daily peruse SHOP-R-GUIDE to gain its helpful assistance in the selection of Christmas presents. And with the time until the arrival of Christmas growing very short, SHOP-R-GUIDE is increasing in importance.

BRINGING UP FATHER

By GEORGE McMANUS



The Theater

The British film industry is said to be facing another crisis because of American enterprise, this time because Fox Films have introduced the new Grandeur Films in England, with a resultant scare among British producers.

The new Fox films are shown on screens fifty feet wide and thirty-five feet high and are made on a two and one-half inch film instead of the normal one and one-quarter inch size film. British producers say their adoption would mean the scrapping of $80,000,000 in present equipment.

"As usual," says the Morning Post, "our industry is utterly prepared for this new and devastating attack. These films revolutionize the whole cinema outlook. If they are successful they will completely destroy all the present studio plants and will render most of the cinemas obsolete.

"One unexpected result may develop. Theaters, especially those in the provinces, have far larger proscenium openings than most cinemas. It would certainly be ironic if the Americans had to purchase our theaters for their films and our actors were driven to appear in what are now cinemas. This new development places the majority of theater owners entirely at the Americans' mercy. There is only one way to combat this menace, that is to pool the resources of the British film industry and fight the menace on our own, and not on American terms."

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American ingenuity has been back of American enterprise in the development of the American film industry that has given it its authority in other countries. The foreign industry may well quake when it realizes that pictures in third dimension will very probably be the next step in the development of the industry in this country.

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The life of former Kaiser Wilhelm II will be made into a motion picture in Germany, the script having been prepared by Dosio Koffler, the scenariast. All personalities who played a role in his life, including King Edward, Czar Nicholas, Emperor Franz Joseph, Lloyd George and Poincare will be represented by actors from the country in question.

The film will begin with the first meeting of Bismarck and Wilhelm II and ends with the latter's flight to Holland and the proclaiming of the republic. The manuscript sticks strictly to historical facts and is expected to be a sensation in Germany.

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Murray Roth, director-in-chief at Warner Bros. Eastern Vitaphone Studios in Brooklyn, where half of Vitaphone Varieties are made started his career as a composer of popular melodies. By the time he was twenty-four he had written such song hits as "I Used To Call Her Baby," "I'm a Lonesome Little Raindrop," "Keep Your Eyes on the Girlie You Love," "Love, Honor and O Baby," and others. He began as a scenario writer for Fox in 1921 and went to work later for Warners with Bryan Foy.



This very carefully posed portrait is quite the latest likeness of the suave Warner Baxter.

Twenty Years '09- Ago -'29

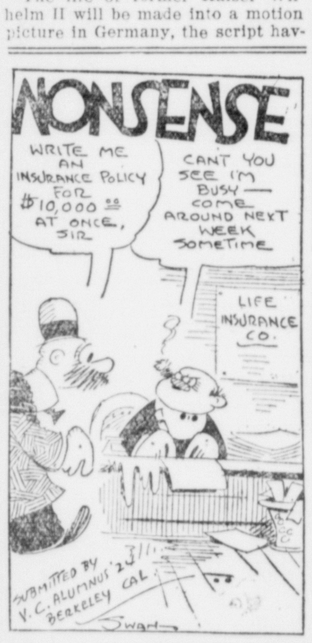
The Vigus property at Main and Collier Sts., and two adjoining properties on the east side have been offered as a site for the post office here.

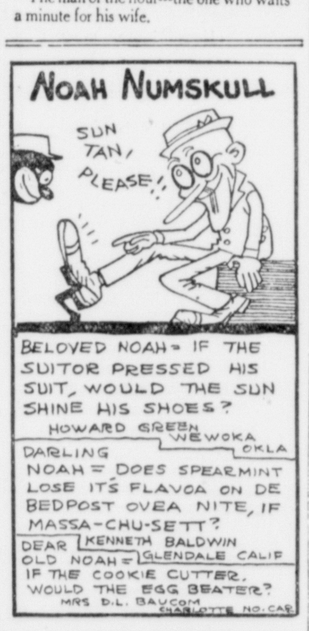
A portion of the slate roof at the plant of the Hagar Straw Board and Paper Co., was blown away by a severe wind and rain storm that passed over Cedarville.

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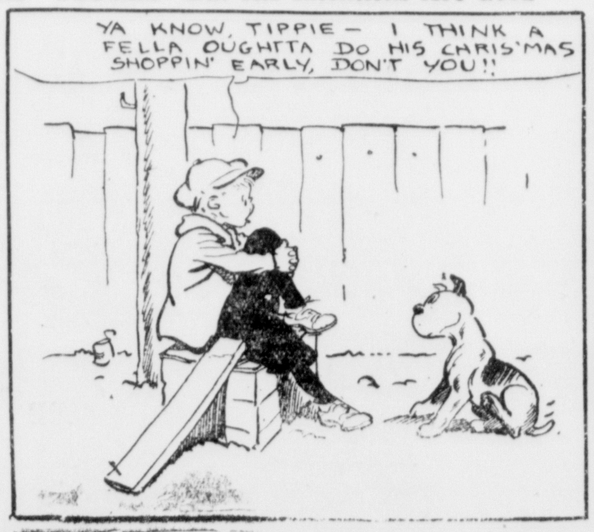
HIGH PRESSURE PETE—Out of a Job Again.

By SWAN



"CAP" STUBBS—But His Intentions Are Good

By EDWINA











ALLOW PARTITION; OTHER COURT NEWS

Partition of property has been authorized by the court in the case of Stella Bryant against Nettie M. Harner and others in Common Pleas Court. O. B. Armstrong, Frank Heider and H. R. Kenoig were named commissioners for that purpose.

DIVORCE SOUGHT

Charging wilful absence from home for more than three years, E. E. Mann has brougnt suit in Common Pleas Court for divorce from Mary W. Mann. They were married June 21, 1910 and have one child, Earl, 17.

WINS JUDGMENT

A. B. Little and E. J. Little, defendants in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by E. S. Sears, have confessed judgment on a cognovit note for $414.

OHIO STATE TO GIVE DIPLOMAS TO 175

COLUMBUS, Dec. 12.—A class of approximately 175 will be graduated here Dec. 20 at the autumn convocation at Ohio State University. Eight of the university's eleven colleges, including the graduate school, are represented in the class.

Candidates from the graduate school comprise nearly a third of the prospective recipients for degrees. Among them are eight candidates for the degree of doctor of philosophy, the highest in the gift of the university, thirty-five for that of master of arts, and thirteen for that of master of science.

The convocation exercises will be held in the afternoon in the campus chapel. The convocation address will be given by Prof. William L. Graves, of the department of English.

MT. ETNA ERUPTING BUT NOT SERIOUSLY

CATANIA, Sicily, Dec. 12.—The famous volcano, Mt. Etna, showed signs of activity again today, erupting cinders and much smoke.

Director Ponte, head of the observatory which reports on all activity of the volcano, declared the present eruption was not serious.

WEEKLY EVENTS

THURSDAY:
Red Men.
Church Prayer meetings.
FRIDAY:
Red Men.
SATURDAY:
Market—Mt. Zion Reformed Ch.
Fisher Meat Mkt., 9 o'clock.
MONDAY:
Unity Center.
D. of P.
S. P. O.
K. K. K.
TUESDAY:
Kiwanis.
Rotary.
WEDNESDAY:
K. of P.
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MRS. EMMA M. JONES

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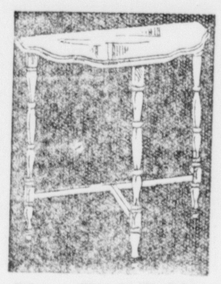
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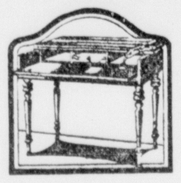
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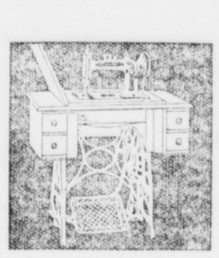
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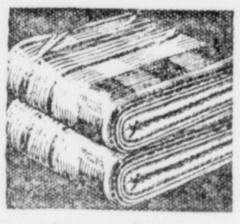
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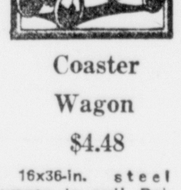
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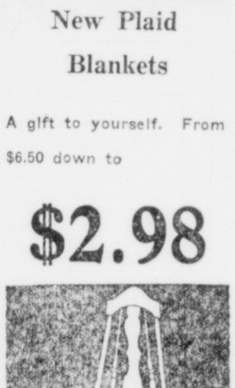
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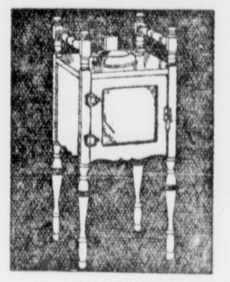
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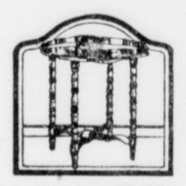
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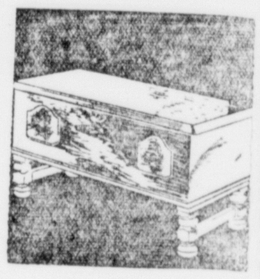


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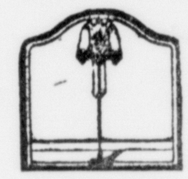
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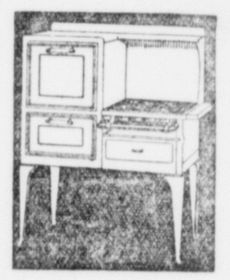


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